

Truman Pledges  
New Deal Fight;  
Dedicates FDR  
Home As Shrine

By ERNEST B. VACCARO

Hyde Park, N. Y., April 12 (P)—President Truman vowed today to carry on Franklin D. Roosevelt's fight against "tyranny" abroad and for the "progressive and humane principles of the New Deal."

Standing "in reverence" at ceremonies dedicating "this hallowed spot"—the Roosevelt estate—as a national shrine on the first anniversary of Mr. Roosevelt's death, President Truman said:

"May Almighty God, who has watched over this republic as it grew from weakness to strength, give us the wisdom to carry on in the way of Franklin D. Roosevelt."

It was Mr. Truman's first trip to Hyde Park since he journeyed here a year ago for the burial of his predecessor.

"The loss which America suffered through the death of Franklin D. Roosevelt cannot be softened by the spoken word," the President said. "Tributes can only emphasize our loss. But those of us who have survived in the seat of government can pay homage to his memory by our deeds."

#### Aid Weak Nations

Mr. Roosevelt's foreign policy, he said, "recognized the solemn duty of this country toward nations which have been weakened in the death struggle against tyranny."

For these principles of international cooperation, Mr. Truman declared, "we are determined to fight with all our strength."

Mr. Roosevelt's domestic policy, he continued, was "a recognition of the basic truth that this government exists not for the benefit of a privileged few but for the welfare of all the people."

Mr. Truman linked up his own domestic program with the New Deal legislation for which he said Mr. Roosevelt fought, asserting:

"Those same principles apply to legislation assuring full production and full employment, legislation for a health program, a Social Security program, an educational program, a program to provide emergency housing for veterans and to solve the long-range problem of decent homes for all Americans. These and other progressive measures stem from the principles for which President Roosevelt fought, for which we, who are carrying on after him, now fight, and for which we shall continue to fight."

#### Same Objectives

Simply stated, Mr. Truman said, the nation's task "is to carry forward the underlying principles and policies, foreign and domestic" of his predecessor.

"Changes may be required here and there to meet changing conditions," he added. "Fundamentally the objectives are the same."

Mr. Truman declared that plain people all over the world join with

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Gets Plan On  
Atomic Policy  
From Children  
On Park Bench

New York, April 12 (P)—The American representative to the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission, lolling in the sun in his "air-conditioned office," surrounded by pigeons and playing children, and pondered upon a possible world atomic policy.

The statesman was tall, white-haired Bernard Baruch who has established the "office" of the U. S. delegation to the commission in Central Park near the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

For some time the 75-year-old financier has been receiving callers and tackling his new job on the park bench a counterpart to his wartime "office" in Washington's Lafayette Park from which he handled the problems of manpower, the rubber shortage and lagging airplane production.

He said yesterday he had a plan—as yet still vague—to avert a possible atomic calamity and that he would report upon it to President Truman and perhaps some day to the United Nations.

As he spoke, he pointed to the children playing near his "office."

"These are my clients," he said. "These are the ones who will be affected by what we do."

To Discuss Adult  
Foods Next Week

Miss Mildred Adams, county home economics representative, will discuss adult foods on her itinerary next week, which includes the following dates and places: April 15, at 1:30 p. m., Barlow, Mrs. Helen Forney; 7:30 p. m., Greenmount, Mrs. Earl Green; April 16, at 1:30 p. m., Conewago, Mrs. Archle Lings; 7:30 p. m., Hampton, Mrs. Oliver Wehner; April 17, at 1:30 p. m., Brushtown, Mrs. Leon Hilbert; 7:30 p. m., Granite, Mrs. P. W. Stallsmith.

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## HEAVY DAMAGE REPORTED HERE TO FRUIT CROP

Severe damage to the county's fruit crop was reported today by a number of growers although complete reports on the possible damage from the frosts of the past several days could not be made so soon after the cold weather cut into the area.

Thursday night the cloudy conditions kept frost away from the fruit to a great extent and the Harrisburg weather bureau today forecast windy weather tonight followed by warmer Saturday.

Much of the sweet cherry crop has been wiped out, according to several growers, by the killing frost on Wednesday and previous cold weather. The situation is made more serious, they add, by the leaf spot condition which left many trees weakened during the past winter.

#### Peaches Damaged

One grower in the Fairfield-Orrtanna region reported that his peaches had been more severely hit than the apples, with damage up to 30 per cent to the peaches and the apples suffering about a 20 per cent loss. All of the damage centered in the trees in the lower parts of the orchard, with those on the hillsides unharmed.

Another grower in the same general area also reported his trees badly hit by the frost while another near Fairfield, whose orchard lies on fairly low ground reported that on many trees only a few buds near the tops of the trees appeared to be alive after a frost last weekend was followed by Wednesday's attack of cold weather.

#### ADD—HEAVY DAMAGE

Frederic Gries, Flora Dale, president of the State Horticultural society, said that as far as he could learn every orchard throughout the region has been hit hard by the latest dip of the mercury.

#### Broad Damage Reported

The fact that in some instances buds on trees which are usually the hardest have been hit harder than those on trees that usually have less fortitude adds an additional complication to the over-all picture, he said. While it is too early to make a general estimate of damage, he added, reports from various fruit growers indicate their losses would cut sharply into the eventual return of fruit this year.

In addition to the sweet cherry loss, which is the most serious, Gries reported that peaches were spotted at those on low ground killed by the frost, while apple crops, such as the Delicious and Smokehouse varieties where the buds were further developed than on later varieties, were also seriously damaged.

Peaches in general seemed to be hurt less than apples, although conditions varied from orchard to orchard.

More extensive damage was averted, at least in the northwestern part of the county by the fact that the low temperature Wednesday did not occur until around 3 a. m. and lasted

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## Two Couples Get Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses were issued at the court house today to Adams Franklin Lobaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roy Lobaugh, Gardners R. 1, and Miss Ruth Elizabeth Golden, daughter of Curtis Ivan Golden, Gardners R. 1, and to Frank William Klos, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Klos, Sr., West Alexander, Pa. R. 2, and Miss Sarah Eleanor Wolfe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Edgar Wolfe, Norwich, N. Y. Mr. Klos and Miss Wolfe are students at Gettysburg college.

## RED CROSS NOW \$1,000 OVER ITS CAMPAIGN GOAL

Contributions to the Adams County Red Cross annual fund drive were more than \$1,000 over the quota of \$14,050 today with donations of \$511.32 from East Berlin helping push the total so far to \$15,185.83.

Robert Myers, chairman of District 5, which includes East Berlin, Abbottstown, Hampton, and Berwick, Hamilton and Reading townships, turned in the final report from that area Thursday afternoon. The district was the last to report, although several districts which previously have turned in large sums have announced that additional contributions have been received and will be turned over to the county office within the next few days.

#### Many Contribute

Among the larger contributions announced from the East Berlin district were \$55 from Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kraut, \$47.77 from the Brethren church; \$48.22 from the Lutheran Sunday school, \$25 from the East Berlin Lions club and \$15 from Newell Coxon.

Ten dollar contributions were made by Mr. and Mrs. George R. Shetter, the East Berlin Milling company, Verne Brandt, John Lehr, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gruver, Harry Brinton, and the Ladies' Aid society of the East Berlin Lutheran church.

Five dollar donations were made by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meckley, Mrs. Lawrence Moul, J. Schimmel, Dr. B. H. Grim, the Reformed Sunday School of East Berlin, the Red Man's Lodge, People's State bank, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mumford, the Alumni association, Ladies' Aid of the Reformed church, Miss Ruth Deitrich, Mrs. E. G. Hutson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bubb, George Glatfelter, Mumford's garage, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Woods, Jr., Mrs. Alberta Lawyer and Wilmer E. Bream.

Second class badges went to Richard Codori and "Teddy" McKenrick with Dr. Joseph Riley, advancement chairman, making the presentation to McKenrick and Richard "Bud" Codori, of the troop committee, presenting the badge to his son.

#### 80 Parents Attend

The tenderfoot badges were presented by Scoutmaster Joseph Beck to Francis Herring, Earl Herring, William Rosensteel, Earl Steinour and Raymond Weaver.

About 80 parents and members of the Catholic Girl Scout troop were guests of the Boy Scouts for the program. Committeeman Codori acted as master of ceremonies for the affair which opened with Acting Senior Patrol Leader William Hemler leading the group in the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Richard Codori and "Teddy" McKenrick acted as color guards. Hemler also was in charge of a candlelight investiture ceremony for the five

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## REBEKAH LODGE INSTALLS HEADS

Mrs. Edna Snyder and Mrs. Catherine Smick were installed as noble grand and vice grand of the Mary Gettys Rebekah lodge at a meeting held Thursday evening at the lodge home. The installation was conducted by the present district deputy president, Mrs. Theresa Smith, assisted by the deputy marshal, Mrs. Daisy Wierman; warden, Mrs. Rhoda Hartzell; chaplain, Mrs. Winifred Sanders; inside guardian, Mrs. Emma Mundorf; outside guardian, Mrs. Ada Reynolds.

Others installed were: Warden, Miss Alice Snyder; conductor, Mrs. Arlene Krumrine; right supporter to noble grand, Mrs. Ethel Tipton; left supporter, Mrs. Luella Forry; chaplain, Mrs. Emma Mundorf; outside guardian, Mrs. Urilla Shields; inside guardian, Mrs. Daisy Wierman; musician, Mrs. Naomi Schwartz; flag bearer, Mrs. Rhoda Hartzell; right supporter to vice grand, Mrs. Augusta Merrow; left supporter, Mrs. Helen Myers.

Mrs. Annie Wentz was e-elected trustee and Mrs. Ethel Tipton was elected district deputy president to take office in June.

Remarks were made by the retiring district deputy president, Mrs. Smith, and the retiring noble grand, Miss Ruth Ecker, and several others.

Refreshments were served during the social hour under the supervision of the chairman, Mrs. Bessie Hartman.

## Service To Follow Community Meet

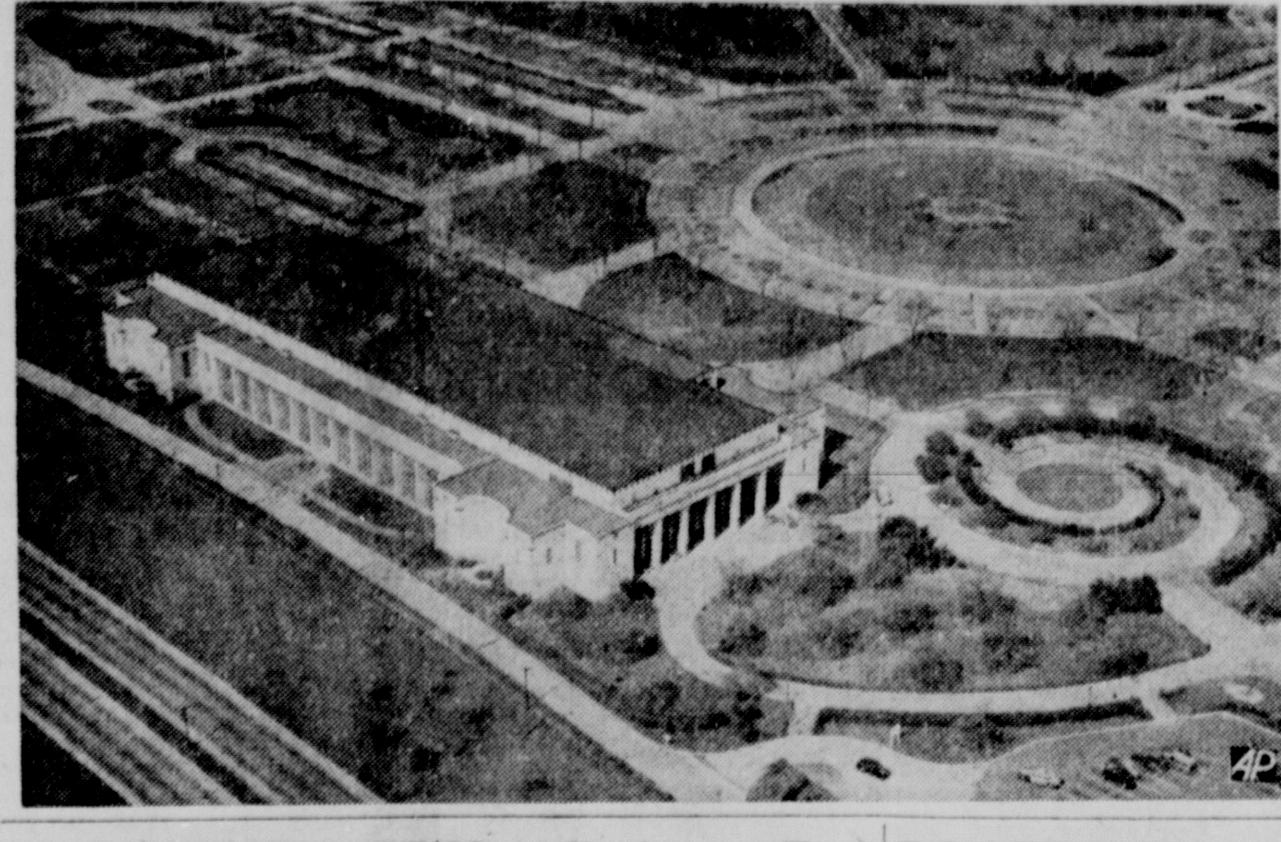
The Rev. Robert J. Allen, a minister of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist church, will be guest speaker at a devotional service to be held at 3 o'clock Good Friday afternoon at the Methodist church.

The devotional service at 3 o'clock will follow the community Good Friday service, sponsored by the Gettysburg Ministerium, to be held at the local Methodist church from 1:30 to 3 p. m. An organ recital will be given by Miss Mary Louise Spangler, minister of music, from 1:30 to 2 o'clock.

Just received beautiful umbrellas in all white nylon with colored border; also all nylon panties. The Smart Shoppe, Carlisle street.

## U. N. To Meet Here

The General Assembly of the United Nations will meet in the New York City building (above) on the New York World's Fair site, United Nations officials disclosed. In the background is the circle which was the location of the Perisphere and Trylon, fair symbols. In the foreground is the Grand Central Parkway Extension, express highway running from Manhattan through the Fair site to the Lake Success area where the Interim headquarters will be located. (AP Photo)



## Announce Schedule For Bookmobile

Miss Kathryn Oller, county librarian, announced today the schedule for bookmobile visits to county schools next Monday and Tuesday. This list of schools will be shown the third Monday and Tuesday of each month while the schools are in session:

Monday: Round Top, Moritz's, Mt. Fairview, New Oxford, Clearview, 700, Green's Ridge, Pine Run, Hartman's, East Berlin, Abbottstown, Beaver Creek, Walnut Grove and Green Springs.

Tuesday: Locust Grove, Center Mills, Mountain View, Idaville, Miller station, State Road, Plainfield, Blackberry, Hardboid's, Hickory Point, York Springs, York Springs station.

## COUNTY WOMAN INVOLVED IN 2 MISHAPS, 2 DAYS

Florence G. Rummel, 30, McKnightstown, was involved in two accidents in two days according to local state police.

Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, according to state police, she stopped at the stop sign where the Mummasburg road intersects with the Bigerville-Narrows' road in Arendtsville and then pulled out into the intersection, crashing into a car driven by Warren H. Deardorff, Bigerville R. 2. Damage totalled \$35 and no one was hurt.

About thirty hours previously she is alleged to have attempted to pass a truck on the Lincoln highway about two and a half miles west of here and hit another car approaching from the opposite direction.

As a result of the two accidents in two days she faces two charges. From Thursday's accident she will receive a summons from Justice of the Peace Martin Walter, Bigerville, on a charge of failing to yield the right of way. The information was laid by a member of the local sub-station of the state police. As a result of Wednesday's accident she will hear from Justice William Dentler, Cashtown, on a charge of making a pass in the face of oncoming traffic.

#### Bridge Collision

In between the Rummel accidents local state policemen found time to answer two hit-and-run accident calls that turned out to be one accident in which both drivers had stopped and both thought the other had continued on his way.

The accident occurred at 10:40 p. m. Wednesday evening, one-half mile north of here on the Harrisburg road. A Johnson milk truck, driven by William Miller, Elkland, was headed south. Walter Arnold Stone, Miami Dade, Fla., was headed north hauling a house trailer behind his car. The two met on the Rock Creek bridge and the trailer hit a mirror extending from the cab of the truck. The mirror hit Miller in the face, causing a number of cuts which were treated at the hospital. The trailer then smashed a sand box on the rear of the tractor part of the milk truck, getting gouged badly in the process.

**Local Girl Is  
Married Today**

The marriage of Miss Nadine Small, daughter of Walter Small, South Washington street, and Donald Curtis Fazebaker, son of Mrs. Jonas Fazebaker, 336 Front street, Westerport, Md., was solemnized at 10 o'clock this morning in the rectory of St. Francis Xavier church on West High street by the Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, rector. The double ring ceremony was used.

The couple was attended by Miss Marjorie Cunningham, Gettysburg, and William Small, a brother of the bride. The bride wore a light blue crepe dress, a blue hat trimmed with forget-me-nots and pink rose buds, and a corsage of pink rose buds. Her accessories were blue. The maid of honor wore navy blue with white accessories and a corsage of white rose buds.

A wedding breakfast was served at the Battlefield hotel following the ceremony, for relatives and friends, and the couple left for a short (Please turn to Page 3)

## DISCUSS COUNTY GIRL SCOUT UNIT

The possibility of effecting some type of organization on a county-wide basis for the 16 Girl Scout troops in the county was discussed Wednesday evening at the regular monthly meeting of the Adams County Girl Scout Leaders' club at the York Springs fire hall.

Miss Eleanor Hoover, Waynesboro Regional Girl Scout director, discussed some phases of the possible organization in a talk to the group in which she also outlined reports from a recent international convention of the Girl Scouts. At the present time the Girl Scout troops in Gettysburg, Littlestown, East Berlin, New Oxford, Abbottstown and York Springs are operating as separate units, with no overall organization similar to the York-Adams area council and district set-up of the Boy Scouts.

A meeting will be held in May at which executives of the Girl Scouts from Washington will meet with local residents to discuss plans for effecting the over-all organization, it was announced.

Miss Marian Tupper, Mrs. Mildred Kennedy and Mrs. Margaret Stough, leaders of the York Springs Girl Scout troops, were in charge of the meeting. Miss Tupper, it was announced, has accepted a position as a full-time Girl Scout director at Waynesboro.

Miss Catherine Ross, Gettysburg; Miss Mary Elder, Abbottstown, and Hildie Dutterer, Littlestown, were named as a nominating committee.

The continuing campaign for funds to pay for the uniforms, a number of new instruments and other equipment needed by the band was \$2,665.44 to date.

The new list of donations to the band's fund includes a third contribution from Mrs. Percival Nelson and second contributions from the Gettysburg National bank and the First National bank of Gettysburg.

Other contributors announced today include: Dr. and Mrs. Bruce N. Wolff, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Wicker, Gettysburg Gas corporation, Dr. and Mrs. Walter H. Danforth, Norman W. Storck, Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Bryson, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Held, Attorney Edgar K. Markley, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Frazer and Mrs. John D. Keith.

#### ASPERS FIREMEN TO MEET

The Aspers Fire Co. will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. All members, their wives and all persons interested are urged to attend, as important matters will be discussed.

#### EASTER VACATION

The

## SEE SIGNS OF SOME ACTION FROM FRANCO

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

Coincident with the indication that the United States and Britain will support a full hearing before the U.N. Security Council of Poland's charges against the Franco regime, there has been a remarkable development in Spain — two of Madrid's three morning newspapers yesterday published a belated announcement that America, England and France advised Spaniards to out the generalissimo.

To get the full force of such publication, one must know that the Spanish press is absolutely under the thumb of the Franco dictatorship, as I observed when in Spain recently. It's my guess that this is the first time any Spanish newspaper has been permitted to publish anything even approaching such a damning statement regarding the Chief of State.

And what is the meaning of this strange lifting of the censorship for a brief moment? Well, the broad significance would seem to be clear: the generalissimo is getting set to meet the assault. Specifically, however, there is nothing to guide us as to whether the move means he is taking the offensive or whether it is a purely defensive — possibly conciliatory — action.

### People Will Stay

Also highly interesting, though far less startling, is the fact that the Spanish press yesterday printed the text of Poland's charge before the Security Council, to the effect that Spain is harboring German scientists who are working on destructive instruments of war. This accusation is calculated to bear out the claim that the Franco regime is a threat to international peace. Russia and France are expected to support Poland in this thesis.

Thus far the United States and Britain, while taking the strong measure of advising the Spanish people to throw out the Franco government, have maintained the position that the generalissimo was a domestic problem. The corollary to this would seem to be that Uncle Sam and John Bull, although they would be delighted to see Franco dispossessed, have no disposition to try to force Spain to accept another government selected by foreign nations but on the contrary hope to see the change effected by a full expression of public opinion at the polls.

It's hard to see how Franco can expect to hang on indefinitely with most if not all of the United Nations against him. Sooner or later he must permit the Spanish people to express their will. So it wouldn't be strange if he were maneuvering into position for a plebiscite now, and that might be the explanation of the strange announcement in the Madrid press that the three western allies advise the Spanish people to oust him.

## Truman Pledges

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leaders and statesmen in recognizing that it was largely because of Mr. Roosevelt "that civilization has survived," and added that "only history can do him full justice."

The New Deal, Mr. Truman said, became the realization of the great hope" which "in an hour of extreme crisis" Mr. Roosevelt gave to the American people.

Its principles, he said, "have today become an accepted part of our way of life."

### Accepts Shrine

In accepting custody of the Roosevelt estate as a national historical site, Secretary of the Interior J. A. Krug stressed that it will be shared by people of all nations.

"The people he loved will come here," he said, "young people, poor people, aliens, and neighbors, men who are free men because he lived. Statesmen from many lands will come; sometimes weary and disheartened from their struggle with the problems of the day. May his memory deliver all of them from selfishness and from greed. May he forever share with all who come something of his timeless qualities — his contagious vitality, his gallant courage, and his infinite compassion."

## Orphanage May Get Share in Estate

The sum of \$1,000 is awarded to First Methodist church of Hanover in an adjudication of the estate of Anna Garber Davis, late of Hanover, handed down Thursday by Judge Harvey A. Gross in Orphans court, York.

The sum of \$2,000 also is awarded to the Mercantile Trust company of Baltimore in trust, the net income to be paid annually to the same church, and, if it loses its identity as a Methodist church for any reason, the income is to be paid to the Hoffman orphanage of near Littlestown, under the terms of her will.

The trust fund is to be known as the Davis Garber-Ann C. Davis Memorial, for which fund the executors shall purchase two \$1,000 U.S. Treasury bonds (series G).

A niece, Elizabeth Eckert Garber, is the chief beneficiary and is awarded \$38,567.24.

## Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

### Engagement

Harbaugh-Tresler

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Tresler, Fairfield, R. 1, announced the engagement of their daughter, Marie Alice, to Earl W. Harbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harbaugh, Waynesboro, R. 4, at a party at their home.

The bride-elect was celebrating her birthday. Friends and relatives were on the guest list.

Miss Tresler is an employee of the Landis Machine company, Waynesboro.

Mr. Harbaugh served two years in active service and is now employed by the Good Lumber company, Waynesboro.

No date has been set for the wedding.

### DEATH

Niles A. Atland

Niles A. Atland, 70, a retired farmer, died Thursday at his home, Dillsburg, R. 2.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Ellen Atland; four daughters, Mrs. H. E. Null, York; Mrs. Edith Bernecker, Harrisburg; Mrs. Viola Hanken, at home, and Mrs. Earl Leiphart, Brouerville; three sons, John, Red Lion; Ray, Harrisburg, and Arthur, York; four brothers, John, East Berlin; Lloyd, Hanover; Mark, Wellsburg, and Gust, Harrisburg; two sisters, Mrs. Lincoln McCurdy, Franklin, and Mrs. Chester Cook, Illinois, and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the residence, with the Rev. G. N. Young, pastor of Dillsburg Lutheran church, officiating. Burial in Franklin Lutheran cemetery. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

### Cashtown Charge To Observe Easter

A series of special Easter services for the Cashtown Reformed charge has been announced by the pastor, the Rev. John H. Ehrhart.

The services will be as follows:

Trinity Evangelical and Reformed, Cashtown — Good Friday, preparatory service at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Easter egg hunt for children on the church lawn at 2 p.m. In case of rain the hunt will be held Easter Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Easter Sunday, Holy Communion and infant baptism at 9 a.m.; Easter program at 7:30 p.m.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed, Fairfield — Palm Sunday confirmation service at 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday, preparatory service at 7:30 p.m.; Thursday, community service in the Fairfield Lutheran church with sermon by the Rev. George S. Stoneback at 7:30 p.m.; Easter Sunday, Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed, McKnightstown — Preparatory service and reception of new members this evening at 7:30 o'clock; Palm Sunday, Holy Communion at 9 a.m.; Easter Sunday, Easter program at 9:30 a.m.

The Iris Bridge club members were entertained Thursday evening by Mrs. Mark R. Snider at her home on Hanover street. The club will meet next week with Mrs. N. L. Minter.

Mrs. J. T. Huddle, Carlisle street, returned Thursday from St. Petersburg, Fla., where she spent the winter. Mrs. John S. Borland, West Broadway, who accompanied her to Florida, is remaining there for some time.

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The Campus club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Herbert G. Hammie, West Confederate avenue, with the following members serving as co-hostesses: Mrs. William D. Hartshorne, Mr. Albert Bachman, Mrs. Francis C. Mason, Mrs. George R. Larkin and Mrs. R. S. Saby.

Dr. Dwight F. Putnam, Springs avenue, returned today from a business trip to Somersett.

Mrs. C. Ross Shuman, East Broadway, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fowler of Lock Haven.

Mrs. Charles H. Smith was hostess to the members of the Little Bridge Club Thursday afternoon at her home on West Broadway.

### State Sues To Get Excess Fees

Harrisburg, April 12 (P) — Attorney General James H. Duff filed suit in the Dauphin county court today to collect \$88,319, together with interest, from Register of Wills John H. Huston of Allegheny county.

The money, the commonwealth claimed, is due in excess fees for the collection of inheritance and estate taxes by Huston for the state since 1937.

Duff also filed a second action, asking the court to compel Huston to produce all books and records relating to the funds, invoking the powers of Auditor General G. Harold G. Wagner under a 1929 law already attacked by Huston.

President Judge William M. Hargest immediately issued an order requiring Huston to show why he should not produce the records, and gave him 15 days to answer.

### Two Guardsmen Being Inducted

Two members of the county troop of the State Guard have resigned for induction into the armed forces. They are Francis Garlach and Ervin Raubenstein. Attendance at the weekly drill period at the state armory here Thursday was 98.5 per cent of the entire troop.

The guard unit announced it has compiled a roster of 15 men for its team in the Gettysburg softball league.

Kaiyuan, Manchuria, April 12 (P) — Chinese Communists are bitterly defending the rail junction city of Szepingkai in a battle that has been in progress for six days. Lt. Gen. Liang Hwaheng, Chinese government deputy commander, informed correspondents today.

## 100 Officers Are Installed

M. F. Stoner was installed as noble grand of the Valley Home Lodge No. 740, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Thursday evening at Fairfield.

Other officers installed at the same time by a group of members from the Gettysburg Lodge No. 124 headed by District Deputy Grand Master S. G. Sollenberger included, past grand, John Flennier; vice grand, Floyd Baker; secretary-treasurer, J. Merle Kittinger; right supporter to noble grand, Marshall Slonaker; left supporter to noble grand, Dorsey Shultz; conductor, S. L. Allison; warden, John Flennier; right scene supporter, J. S. Sites; left scene supporter, G. M. Neely; chaplain, E. A. Seabrook; inside guardian, William White and outside guardian, Howard Reinold.

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# MEXICAN LOOP WILL FOLD UP CLAIMS TINKER

By CHRIS MACGILL

Tallahassee, Fla., April 12 (AP)—Joe Tinker, of the Chicago Cubs' Immortal Tinker to Evers to chance field combination, today predicted that none of the American baseball players who have signed with the Mexican league will stick it out of the border.

"I don't think much of the league and to tell you the truth, I don't think any of the ball players will want to live down there," the stocky reyeying former shortstop declared. "I don't think they'll fit in and they have no assurance that they're going to stay down there. The league might bust up."

Tinker was the first major league player to "jump" to the short-lived outlaw federal league in 1914, following his sale by Cincinnati to Brooklyn in a winter transaction. When Tinker was refused a part of the purchase price, he signed a federal contract as playing manager of the new Chicago Whales.

## Desire Curbed

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## Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

New York, April 12 (AP)—Herman Keiser, tabbed the slowest golfer since Cyril Walker won the open, played the first three rounds of the Augusta Masters tournament wearing an old pair of dungarees turned up around his ankles. . . . For the final day he came out wearing his "Sunday pants" and shot his worst round of the tournament. . . . California Bill Kyne, a bidder for the Suffolk Downs race track, wants to have Massachusetts people in for at least half the deal. . . . Dan Reeves, who pulled a fast one on the rival football league by switching his Cleveland Rams to Los Angeles, made another quick switch to get himself a California home. He traded his New York apartment for Actor Basil Rathbone's house. Meantime Chile and Adam Walsh, native Californians, are living in hotels.

## SHORTS AND SHELLS

Carl Heidel, star southpaw of the Colgate U. baseball team, suffered a severe shrapnel wound in his pitching hand while on the Siegfried line. . . . Delcacy, one of the best brood-mares in America, has son, a grandson and a granddaughter eligible for the Kentucky Derby. . . . Pot Likker, Little Tip and Hashcamp. . . . Stu Adams, star Radnor, Pa., high school basketballer, is reported heading for Long Island. U. though west coast schools also have been bidding for him. . . . Baltimore's police department golfers have booked matches with cops from New York, Philadelphia, Washington and Norfolk. On whose beat? . . . When Z. G. Clevenger, Indiana U. athletic director, completed 22 years of perfect attendance in the Bloomington Rotary club he was rewarded with a cigarette lighter. He doesn't smoke.

## PLENTY OF TIME

Chuck McFarland, Penn State's 25-year-old pre-war first baseman, was somewhat overweight when he returned to the diamond and Coach Joe Bedenk has been giving him plenty of ribbing about his trouble getting down for ground balls. . . . When one went through Chuck the other day, Bedenk shouted: "Hey, Chuck McFarland, what are you going to do when you're 45?" . . . Mac shot right back: "Get a job as Penn State baseball coach."

### 'Siege Gun' Teams Take Alleys Today

Buffalo, N. Y., April 12 (AP)—A number of the nation's big "siege gun" teams were scheduled to take to the alleys today at the American Bowling Congress' world championship tournament.

Listed among them were the 1,000-average Canby Trucking company of Binghamton, N. Y., and the E and H Coal squad of Philadelphia led by Tommy Marotta, who holds a 212-average in the Philadelphia major league.

No changes in any of the divisions went on the boards after last night's desultory bowling.

### 'Publicity Stunt' Is Charged To Mayor

Pittsburgh, April 12 (AP)—The editors of the Pittsburgh Bulletin-Index assert city council and Mayor David L. Lawrence "coerced" the Pittsburgh Pirates into changing their opening game from Good Friday to Saturday, April 20, and that their action was "the worst display of political hypocrisy Pittsburgh has ever witnessed."

Telegrams which the weekly magazine sent to the mayor, Governor Edward Martin and Allegheny County District Attorney Artemas Leslie yesterday declared:

Editors were "appalled at the lack of fortitude of the mayor and city council in not closing all saloons, cocktail bars, theaters and other places of amusement on Good Friday, while on the other hand concerning the Pittsburgh baseball club to postpone its opening game on that day."

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McSherrystown at Hanover  
Emmitsburg at Littlestown  
Blue Ridge Summit at Thurmont

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Thurmont at Emmitsburg  
Taneytown at Middleburg  
Littlestown at McSherrystown  
Hanover at Blue Ridge Summit

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Taneytown at Harney  
Middleburg at Hanover  
Thurmont at Littlestown  
Blue Ridge Summit at Emmitsburg

JUNE 2

Harney at Emmitsburg  
Wakefield at Littlestown  
Taneytown at Thurmont  
Harney at Blue Ridge Summit  
McSherrystown at Middleburg

JUNE 9

Wakefield at Thurmont  
Harney at Taneytown  
Littlestown at Harney  
Middleburg at Emmitsburg  
Blue Ridge Summit at McSherrystown

JUNE 16

Wakefield at Blue Ridge Summit  
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JUNE 23

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JUNE 30

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Littlestown at Emmitsburg  
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JULY 7

Wakefield at Harney  
Emmitsburg at Thurmont  
Middleburg at Taneytown  
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JULY 14

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AUGUST 18

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Taneytown at Emmitsburg  
Middleburg at Thurmont  
Harney at McSherrystown  
Hanover at Littlestown

AUGUST 25

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Taneytown at Blue Ridge Summit  
Hanover at Thurmont  
Littlestown at Middleburg  
Thurmont at McSherrystown

PRINCIPAL SPEAKER  
Dr. A. R. Wentz, president of the Lutheran Theological seminary, will be the principal speaker at the laying of the cornerstone for the new Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church, Lemoyne, Sunday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock.

## LITTLESTOWN 9 TAKES OPENER

Littlestown and Fairfield high schools got the jump on other county league teams by opening their season Thursday afternoon at Littlestown with the home team winning, 9-6.

After Fairfield got off to an early lead, Littlestown pushed over a trio of runs in each of the 3rd and 4th innings to win handily. Each team collected eight safeties. DeGroft poled three for Littlestown while Dick smacked a single and triple for Fairfield.

Today Arendtsville plays at Bigerville and York Springs at New Oxford in league tilts.

**Littlestown**      **AB**      **R**      **H**  
DeGroft, 3b      4      1      3  
Scholl, ss      3      0      2  
Boyd, c      2      1      0  
Crouse, 2b      3      1      0  
Mehring, p      2      2      1  
Schwartz, lf      4      0      2  
Coppersmith, cf      3      1      0  
Wildasin, 1b      4      2      0  
G. Bair, rf      4      1      0  
Robert, rf      0      0      0  
Little, 1b      0      0      0  
Hull, cf      0      0      0  
A. Bair, c      0      0      0  
  
Totals      29      9      8

**Fairfield**      **AB**      **R**      **H**  
R. Weikert, rf      3      1      1  
S. Weikert, ss      4      0      2  
Sites, 1b, p      4      0      1  
Newman, c      4      1      0  
Myers, 3b, 1b      3      1      0  
Strawbaugh, 2b      4      1      1  
Shindeldecker, cf      4      0      0  
Brown, lf      3      1      2  
Dick, p, 3b      2      1      2  
  
Totals      31      6      8

Score by Innings:  
Littlestown      0      0      3      3      2      1      x-9  
Fairfield      1      1      0      0      0      2      6-6

### Baseball Briefs

**Roanoke, Va.**, April 12 (AP)—It will be Bill Voiselle vs. Allie Reynolds today as the New York Giants and Cleveland Indians bring their barnstorming tour here. The Tribe grabbed a 4-1 edge in the series yesterday when an eighth inning run gave them and Bob Feller a 4-3 verdict over the National leaguers.

**Brooklyn**, April 12 (AP)—Pre-war baseball will be back on display in New York today when the Yankees and Dodgers meet in the first game of their annual pre-opener weekend series at Ebbet's field. A crowd of 20,000 is expected to watch Hal Gregg, ace Brooklyn righthander, oppose Spud Chandler, the Bronx's best.

**Charlotte, N. C.**, April 12 (AP)—Ray Goolsby, rookie outfielder of the Washington Senators, has been sent to Washington for what was described as "corrective surgery." Goolsby played brilliantly in early spring games but lately has slowed down afoot.

**Dayton, Ohio**, April 12 (AP)—Hal Newhouser, ace lefthander of the Detroit Tigers, was due for his final pre-season appearance against the Cincinnati Reds today. He was expected to hurl three innings in preparation for his opening day assignment against the St. Louis Browns next Tuesday. The Reds hold a 4-1 edge in the series which ends Saturday.

**Kansas City, Mo.**, April 12 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals' starting lineup for the city series opener against the St. Louis Browns Saturday will have Rookie Dick Sisler at first base, Lou Klein at second and Al (Red) Schoendienst at third, but Manager Eddie Dyer warned that he didn't mean he had made up his mind on the starters for the National league opener against Pittsburgh.

**Carlisle, Pa.**, April 12 (AP)—Farmer John Marsh has lost another round in his long battle against vaccination of his children—a battle that has resulted in his incarceration on contempt of court charges.

Judge Fred S. Reese yesterday committed 12-year-old Betty Jane Marsh to the care of the Cumberland County Welfare Services with instructions that she be vaccinated.

Marsh, arrested last January on charges that he refused to have Betty Jane and her brother, Marlin, 14, vaccinated as a requisite to school attendance, had told the court he did not know where the children were. Judge Reese jailed him then on contempt charges, but Marsh was released later.

Betty Jane was found Saturday by state police, but Marlin still is unlocated. Marsh has contended he is against vaccination on the grounds that it made one of his children ill 11 years ago.

Spaniards in Cuba began to import Negro slaves as early as 1521. American Indians domesticated about 40 plants.

**Chicago** — Wray Carter, 13½, Chicago, outpointed Maxie Shapiro, 13½, New York, 10.

**Orange, N. J.**—Verne Escoe, 18½, Orange, outpointed Al Hoosman, 19½, Los Angeles, 10.

**Kenne, N. H.**—The Blond Tiger (Paul Frechette) 129, Lowell, Mass., TKO Chuck Jackson, 129, Pittsburgh, 7.

**Highland Park, N. J.**—Joey Cardillo, 139, Youngstown, outpointed Lou Daniels, 136, New York, 8.

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**Exhibition Baseball**  
(By The Associated Press)  
**Yesterday's Results**

Chicago (A), 4; Pittsburgh (N), 0.

St. Louis (N), 14; Tulsa (T), 0.

Boston (N), 3; Boston (A), 3; tie.

Philadelphia (A), 16; Hagerstown (Interstate), 3.

Cincinnati (N), 2; Detroit (A), 0.

Bronx (N), 11; New York (A), 3.

Cleveland (A), 4; New York (N), 3.

Philadelphia (N), 9; Washington (A), 0.

St. Louis (A) vs. Chicago (N), cancelled, wet grounds.

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## Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

### QUATRAINS

Children when they're very small  
Tell the truth to one and all,  
Never wandering far from fact,  
Till their parents teach them tact.

The Price  
Who would a garden make  
Must work for hours and hours  
With spade and hoe and rake  
And take his pay in flowers.

The Other Fellow's Gift  
Humans are a curious lot,  
Ever wanting what they've not.  
Men who cannot sing a note  
Envied every gifted throat.

Women's Hats  
(Revising Burns)

Oh wad some power  
The giftie gie 'em  
To see their hats  
As husbands see 'em.

## Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

### COMPANIONSHIP

I wonder if we are not losing out on one of the most inspiring of all relationships—that of genuine companionship. It's much more elastic than mere friendship. There is an intimate charm to the very sound of the word, for it suggests closeness and unity of thought and association.

Unions between parties can be made, but without companionship. It goes further than mere union. It suggests a co-operation of mental and spiritual forces. Companionship between nations would mean no quarrelling, no mistrust, no envy, and no name calling. Companionship suggests a higher level of attainment.

For years I have remembered a remark that I overheard from a returning group of golfers. One man said: "Well, next to having won the game oneself is to lose to a delightful companion." You see, there is length and breadth to companionship. In marriage it is the one eternal binding that keeps love green and fragrant.

You read in the newspapers advertisements for "a companion." Loneliness is devastating. We want some one near to us, to be a companion, to talk to, to relate our problems to, to counsel with us, to set us on right paths, and to cheer us when we are low. The companion fulfills a dozen or more duties, and they are delightful, if the companion is a true and genuine one.

A mere associate in business may not prove to be a good companion. Companionship suggests so much more—it has enduring qualities to it. Companionship can even be carried into the realm of Nature, where all its fascinating and intriguing forces attract the mind and interest. W. H. Hudson, the great naturalist, brings out this idea in his character of Rima, the "bird woman," whose companionship with all the inanimate, in nature, were of her one great part. It is all told in Hudson's beautiful book, "Green Mansions."

Thoreau's human companions were limited, but not those that filled his mind and heart all the days of his life, and whose relationships have filled the pages of his books, so eagerly read today, enriching all literature for all time.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "The Joy of Unloading."

### ASKS NEW TRIAL

Allentown, Pa., April 12 (P)—John Barnak, 30-year-old steelworker convicted of second degree murder in the fatal shooting of a discharged army flyer, seeks a new trial on grounds the verdict was against the law, the facts and the weight of evidence.

Work accidents cost the loss of 500,000 man-hours of labor in 1944.

### The Almanac

12—Sun rises 5:28; sets 6:34.  
Moon sets 6:30 a. m.  
13—Sun rises 5:27; sets 6:35.  
Moon sets 4:31 a. m.

Moon Phases

16—Last Quarter.

## Out Of The Past

From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times

### FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

#### Capacity Audiences Attend Services

Capacity audiences were present at both the morning and evening service at the Gettysburg Presbyterian church Sunday, the first of a series in connection with the 19th anniversary of the founding of the local church and the dedication of the new Sunday School building.

Sunday was designated as "Homecoming Day." The Rev. Franklin E. Taylor preached the sermon at the morning service, Rev. William C. Robinson, of Decatur, Georgia, and the Rev. Dr. Robert H. Jones, of Los Angeles, California, participated in the service.

Speakers at the Sunday evening service were the Rev. D. W. Woods, Gettysburg; Charles M. McCurdy, Bellfonte, and the Rev. J. M. Davies, Hunterstown.

The dedication of the new Sunday school building will take place Monday evening. The speaker will be the Rev. Dr. Hugh Thomas Kerr.

Upper End Couple Married Sunday: Miss Velma Pauline Starner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Starner, of Gardners, R. D., and Arian Glenn Rex, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond H. Rex, Gardners, R. D., were married Sunday night by the Rev. O. D. Coble, at Bendersville.

Mr. Truman's reaffirmed support of anti-poll tax and FEPC measures "and all similar legislation" came at a crowded White House news conference yesterday.

As expected, it provoked mixed reaction among Capitol Hill Democrats. Some privately read into it White House support for an announced CIO campaign to purge Southern members of Congress who fight such measures.

Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) promised a new effort to bring the anti-poll tax measure before the Senate at this session—a move certain to bring a program-interrupting filibuster from Dixie Democrats.

New York Actress Weds Leading Man: New York, April 6 (P)—Helen Gahagan, stage and opera star was married here Sunday to her leading man, Melvyn Douglas. The Rev. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman officiated.

Local Girl Is Married: Miss Mary M. Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Martin, 516 Baltimore street, and Raymond W. Crouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crouse, of Norwood, Pa., were united in marriage Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in Christ Lutheran church by the Rev. F. Eppling Rehnartz.

Atlantic City, N. J., April 12 (P)—Development of a new "acid ointment" for burns, which removes dead skin painlessly—without need of a surgeon's knife or brushing—was announced today to the American Chemical Society.

The ointment—for treatment of second degree burns—was described by Drs. Albert M. Mattocks and Wilber A. Lazier of Southern Research Institute, Birmingham, Ala.

They told the chemists, who complete their 109th meeting today, that the ointment was basically a dry, stable, easily wettable powder. When water is added it is a clear, jelly-like substance, the doctors said, adding its action was to remove the dead skin from the burn surface "without pain or the destruction of islands of living tissue."

At the same time, Dr. M. Spiegel-Adolf and a group of colleagues from Temple U. announced a new technique for detecting brain concussions. It consists of employing invisible, ultraviolet light rays, directed against a sample of cerebrospinal fluid tapped from a patient thought to have a concussion.

If a concussion is present, cells in the sample of spinal fluid will be disturbed in such a way as to absorb rays of the ultra-violet light—and this absorption can be measured, the doctors said. If there is no concussion, the cells in the fluid will absorb none of the invisible rays.

Hartmans Lease Park Near Borough: John C. Hartman and Miss Cordelia Hartman have leased Hershey park, three miles west of Gettysburg on the Lincoln highway, from L. E. Hershey, who has been forced to relinquish active management of the place because of illness.

Miss Edith Fidler Is Wed Friday: Miss Edith Loretta Fidler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Fidler, of Biglerville, and Clyde George Bowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Bowers, of Heidersburg, were united in marriage at the Biglerville Lutheran parsonage by the Rev. Henry W. Sternat, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

D. C. Stallsmith Celebrates His Birthday: D. C. Stallsmith on Saturday observed his 50th birthday anniversary. In addition to performing his duties for the John C. Lower company, Mr. Stallsmith enrolled ten new members in the Chamber of Commerce and received a donation of \$5 to the \$7,500 budget of the Chamber for the 1931 program.

Fall Must Serve Year: Washington, April 6 (P)—A sentence of one year in jail and \$100,000 fine against Albert B. Fall, former interior secretary, was affirmed today by the District of Columbia court of appeals.

At the same time the court upheld the decision of a lower court under which Harry M. Blackmer was fined \$60,000 for contempt of court in refusing to return from France to appear as a witness in the oil trials of Harry Sinclair and Fall.

Personal: Mrs. Elton G. Boyer, Washington street, will hold the first meeting of the newly organized story-telling hour Monday evening.

David Oyler has gone to Washington, D. C., to accept a position with the Abbott custard company.

Mrs. Robert Hartley, Carlisle street, is spending the week in Martinsburg, West Virginia.

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Miss Harriet Krauth, center

## TRUMAN STEERS LEFT OF CENTER IN PRESIDENCY

By JACK BELL  
(Associated Press Political Reporter)

Washington, April 12 (P)—President Truman piloted Democratic political policy steadfastly left of center today as he began his second year in the White House.

With a statement that he stands solidly behind federal legislation to abolish state poll taxes and to establish a permanent fair employment practice commission, the president emphasized he is not veering from the broad objectives laid down by his predecessor.

At the same time Mr. Truman scotched any thought of some Southern elements of the party that might be asking political peace with them.

**Mixed Reactions**

There were indications, too, that the chief executive would fortify this position by reiterating his desire for passage of what he has classed as progressive legislation when he speaks later in the day at the Hyde Park grave of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Mr. Truman's reaffirmed support of anti-poll tax and FEPC measures "and all similar legislation" came at a crowded White House news conference yesterday.

As expected, it provoked mixed reaction among Capitol Hill Democrats. Some privately read into it White House support for an announced CIO campaign to purge Southern members of Congress who fight such measures.

Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) promised a new effort to bring the anti-poll tax measure before the Senate at this session—a move certain to bring a program-interrupting filibuster from Dixie Democrats.

**Going to New York:** Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson will leave Monday night for New York city, where he will attend a meeting of the Lutheran board of American Missions. The board will be entertained by the captain of the newest German Lloyd liner, on Wednesday.

**New York Actress Weds Leading Man:** New York, April 6 (P)—Helen Gahagan, stage and opera star was married here Sunday to her leading man, Melvyn Douglas. The Rev. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman officiated.

**Local Girl Is Married:** Miss Mary M. Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Martin, 516 Baltimore street, and Raymond W. Crouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crouse, of Norwood, Pa., were united in marriage Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in Christ Lutheran church by the Rev. F. Eppling Rehnartz.

**Chamber Moves into New Offices:** Headquarters for the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce were established in the center square headquarters of the Gettysburg motor club of Adams county on Tuesday.

**Rev. Borleis to Become Chaplain:** The Rev. J. H. August Borleis announced on Thursday that he will resign his pastorate of the Goldsboro and Mt. Zion Lutheran churches in York county, to become a chaplain in the regular army of the United States. The Rev. Mr. Borleis said that he will be sent to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, for the summer and in the fall he will enter the University of Chicago for a year of post-graduate work in preparation for religious work in the army.

**Unions between parties can be made, but without companionship. It goes further than mere union. It suggests a co-operation of mental and spiritual forces. Companionship between nations would mean no quarrelling, no mistrust, no envy, and no name calling. Companionship suggests a higher level of attainment.**

**For years I have remembered a remark that I overheard from a returning group of golfers. One man said: "Well, next to having won the game oneself is to lose to a delightful companion." You see, there is length and breadth to companionship. In marriage it is the one eternal binding that keeps love green and fragrant.**

**You read in the newspapers advertisements for "a companion." Loneliness is devastating. We want some one near to us, to be a companion, to talk to, to relate our problems to, to counsel with us, to set us on right paths, and to cheer us when we are low. The companion fulfills a dozen or more duties, and they are delightful, if the companion is a true and genuine one.**

**A mere associate in business may not prove to be a good companion. Companionship suggests so much more—it has enduring qualities to it. Companionship can even be carried into the realm of Nature, where all its fascinating and intriguing forces attract the mind and interest. W. H. Hudson, the great naturalist, brings out this idea in his character of Rima, the "bird woman," whose companionship with all the inanimate, in nature, were of her one great part. It is all told in Hudson's beautiful book, "Green Mansions."**

**Thoreau's human companions were limited, but not those that filled his mind and heart all the days of his life, and whose relationships have filled the pages of his books, so eagerly read today, enriching all literature for all time.**

**Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "The Joy of Unloading."**

**ASKS NEW TRIAL**

**Allentown, Pa., April 12 (P)—John Barnak, 30-year-old steelworker convicted of second degree murder in the fatal shooting of a discharged army flyer, seeks a new trial on grounds the verdict was against the law, the facts and the weight of evidence.**

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## CHURCH SERVICES

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Service with Lesson-Sermon, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m.

**Mummert's Brethren**

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Abbottstown Lutheran**

The Rev. Snyder Allerman, pastor. Sunday school at 10:15 a. m.; Luther service at 6:30 p. m.; special musical program by the choir at 7:30 p. m. Special services during Holy Week at 8 p. m.

**St. Francis Xavier Catholic**

The Rev. Mark E. Stock, rector. Masses Sunday at 7, 9 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; Rosary and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Masses Sunday at 5:30, 7:30 and 9 a. m.

**St. John's Lutheran, Hampton**

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Holy Communion at 10

# WORLD LEADERS SEE DEDICATION OF FDR SHRINE

By ALLAN FISHER

Hyde Park, N. Y., April 12 (AP)—United Nations leaders join President Truman today in dedicating as a national shrine the green acres and the old Hudson river mansion of Franklin D. Roosevelt, who died one year ago today.

The ceremonies, from 2:30 to 3:00 p. m. (EST), include:

An eight-minute dedicatory address by Mr. Truman from the front porch where the late President customarily greeted his neighbors on victorious election nights.

## 700 Special Guests

Formal presentation by Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt to Secretary of the Interior J. A. Krug of the house, the century-old rose garden in which her husband is buried, and the surrounding 33-acres of land, comprising an estate which has been in the Roosevelt family since 1867.

Chairs were placed on the wide expanse of lawn before the house for 700 special guests, including members of the United Nations security council.

Members of the cabinet, the supreme court and congress, were invited to represent official Washington.

The scene of the ceremonies gave the impression of an open air theater. Standing space was provided the public behind the seating section and among the trees of the park which extends for some distance before the house.

## Big Radio Hookup

The department of interior said the radio hookup for broadcasting the ceremonies was the greatest since V-J Day.

President Truman was expected to remain here not more than an hour. Leaving Washington by plane about noon for Stewart Field, on the U. S. Military academy reservation, he planned to motor to the Roosevelt estate and return to the capital in time for supper.

The program called for an invocation by the Rev. Dr. George W. W. Anthony, rector of St. James Episcopal church in Hyde Park, of which Mr. Roosevelt was a life-long member, benediction by Rabbi Jerome Unger, of nearby Poughkeepsie, and singing of the Star Spangled Banner by Marian Anderson.

## Restored to 1940

Five months of work by department of the interior specialist have restored the interior of the house in accordance with photographs taken in 1940.

Mr. Roosevelt deeded the house and 33-acres to the government and Congress accepted it as an historic site by an act passed July 18, 1939. Last November Mrs. Roosevelt, her four sons and one daughter, waived their lifetime claims to the estate.

"We have tried to make the house look as if President Roosevelt might be coming back for a week-end," George A. Palmer, superintendent of the estate for the department of the interior, said.

## County Churches

(Continued from Page Four) mane, the Three Trials," at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, vespers with theme, "The Vigil at the Cross," and preparatory service at 7:30 p. m.

## Harney Lutheran

The Rev. Dr. W. F. Rex, supply pastor, Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; Holy Communion, confirmation, baptism and reception of new members and sermon, "Where Are You Going," at 10:15 a. m.

Trinity Evangelical and Reformed

## Cashtown

The Rev. John H. Ehrhart, pastor, Church school at 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday, meeting of the Sunshine Sunday school class at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brenizer at 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed

## Fairfield

Church school at 9:30 a. m.; confirmation at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday, preparatory service at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, community service at 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed

## McKnightstown

Holy Communion at 9 a. m.; Church school at 10 a. m. Preparatory service with reception of new members this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## Marsh Creek Brethren

Worship with sermon, "Thy King Cometh," at 9:30 a. m.; Church school at 10:30 a. m. Good Friday service in charge of the young people at 7:45 p. m.

## Friars Grove Brethren

Worship with sermon, "The Triumphant Entry," by the Rev. W. N. Zobler at 9:30 a. m.; Church school at 10:30 a. m.

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## Chapter 8

The new adventurer was of medium height, and seemed to be rather slender than strongly built. His suit of armor was of the finest and the device on his shield was a young oak-tree pulled up by the roots, with the Spanish word Desdichado, signifying.

The champion ascended the platform, and, to the astonishment of all present, riding straight up to the central pavilion, struck with the sharp edge of his spear the shield of Brian de Bois-Guilbert until it rang again. All stood astonished at his presumption, but none more than the redoubtful Knight whom he had thus defied to mortal combat, and who, little expecting so rude a challenge, was standing carelessly at the door of the pavilion.

"Take your place in the lists," said Bois-Guilbert, "and look your last upon the sun, for this night thou shalt sleep in paradise."

When the two champions stood opposed to each other at the two extremities of the lists, the public expectation was strained to the highest pitch. Few augured the possibility that the encounter could terminate well for the Disinherited Knight, yet his courage and gallantry secured the general good wishes of the spectators.

The trumpets had no sooner given the signal, than the champions vanished from their posts with the speed of lightning, and closed in the centre of the lists with the shock of a thunderbolt. The lances burst into shivers up to the very grasp, and it seemed at the moment that both knights had fallen, for the shock had made each horse recoil suddenly upon its haunches. The address of the riders recovered their steeds by use of the bridle and spur, and having glared on each other for an instant with eyes which seemed to flash fire through the bars of their visors, each made a demi-volte, and, retiring to the extremity of the lists, received a fresh lance from the attendants.

A loud shout from the spectators, waving of scarfs and handkerchiefs, and general acclamations, attested the interest taken by the spectators in this encounter; the most equal, as well as the best performed, which had graced the day. But no sooner had the knights resumed their stations, hushed into a silence, so deep and so dead, that it seemed the multitude were afraid even to breathe.

A few minutes' pause having been allowed, that the combatants and their horses might recover breath, Prince John with his truncheon signed to the trumpets to sound the onset. The champions a second time sprang from their stations, and closed in the centre of the lists, with the same speed, the same dexterity, the same violence, but not the same equal fortune, as before.

In this second encounter, the Templar aimed at the centre of his antagonist's shield, and struck so fair and forcibly, that his spear went to shivers, and the Disinherited Knight reeled in his saddle. On the other hand, that champion had, fair and true hit the Norman on the visor, where his lance's point kept hold of the bars. Yet, even at this disadvantage, the Templar sustained his high reputation; and had not the girths of his saddle burst, he might not have been unhorsed. As it chanced, however, saddle horse, and man rolled on the ground under a cloud of dust.

To extricate himself from the stirrups and fallen steed, was to the Templar scarce the work of a moment; and, stung with madness, both at his disgrace and at the acclamations with which it was hailed by the spectators, he drew his sword and waved it in defiance of his conqueror. The Disinherited Knight sprang from his steed, and also unsheathed his sword. The marshals of the field, however, spurred their horses between them, and reminded them that the laws of the tournament did not, on the present occasion, permit this species of encounter.

"We shall meet again, I trust," said the Templar, casting a resentful glance at his antagonist; "and where there are none to separate us."

"If we do not," said the Disinherited Knight, "the fault shall not be mine. On foot or horseback, with

Richard P. Gale, Jr., 21 (above), whose death at Wilmington, Mass., was classed by a medical examiner as suicide, left scribbled notes regarding "sensations of approaching death" as monoxide fumes overcame him in a closed car. Young Gale, an Army-veteran student at M.I.T., was a son of a former Minnesota Congressman. (AP Wirephoto)

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# SLAYER CAUGHT IN TENNESSEE; TO BE EXECUTED

Knoxville, Tenn., April 12 (AP)—The nation's most hunted criminal—Killer Earl McFarland—was back behind bars today, awaiting removal to Washington and eventual death in the electric chair.

The 24-year-old ex-marine, who was captured here yesterday on a street corner a block from city jail by two FBI agents, said "my goose is cooked and I'm ready to go," and added that he would not fight extradition to Washington.

FBI Agent Norman H. McCabe said McFarland, who escaped from the District of Columbia jail April 3 in company with another condemned killer, Joseph D. Medley, was being held in Knox county jail under \$100,000 bond pending a removal hearing tomorrow at 11 a.m. (EST).

## Sought Out Friends

McFarland was awaiting execution for the slaying of an 18-year-old government girl in Washington in 1944 when he and Medley made their daring break from the jail. Medley was captured inside the District the same day.

McCabe said two agents in an automobile saw McFarland standing on a street corner "like he was waiting for a car," and added that "they stopped immediately and took him into custody."

The tow-headed youth, who steadfastly denied his guilt in an interview with reporters, asserted he came to Knoxville Friday—"hitch-hiking and bohoboing."

He said he had spent the last five nights of his short-lived freedom living in the open "just like we used to do on Guadalcanal when I was with the First Marine Division."

He had returned to his native Tennessee seeking help from friends and relatives, he continued. He was shabbily-dressed in blue shirt, blue denim overalls, white sweat shirt and brown hat when captured, and had only one cent in his pockets, McCabe said.

## Fairfield

Fairfield—Mr. and Mrs. Leo McGaughlin, Schuylkill Haven, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ray McGaughlin.

Mrs. Frank Conrad and Miss Mary Harbaugh spent Monday in Baltimore.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Reformed church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clarence Weikert.

The regular monthly meeting of the N.C.C.W. of St. Mary's church will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the church recreation rooms.

Mrs. Robert Rinalducci, Philadelphia, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hartzell. Mrs. Rinalducci will leave in May to join her husband, Captain Rinalducci, who is stationed in Tokyo.

Robert Reindollar, Shippensburg, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Robert Reindollar.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Swope, Baltimore, spent Thursday with Mrs. Ella Glenn.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Allison were Mrs. Alfred Peters, Joseph Peters and son, Joseph, all of Baltimore.

H. L. Harbaugh presided at the April meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held Wednesday evening in the school house. Floyd Baker, Robert Newman and Clarence Wilson were appointed on the membership committee.

H. L. Harbaugh and E. H. Newman were appointed on the entertainment committee for the May meeting.

## Plan Conservation Course For Teachers

Harrisburg, April 12 (AP)—The Department of Public Instruction today announced that establishment of a conservation education laboratory for teachers at the Pennsylvania State college July 1 will be "another vigorous attack on the waste, the misuse and the destruction" of natural resources.

Dr. Henry Klonower, director of teacher education and certification, said "if teachers in the classrooms are made aware of the importance of maintaining the natural resources of this state, the emerging generation can be taught that it, too, will realize its obligations."

He said the laboratory, sponsored by the college with the cooperation of state departments concerned with conservation, will be open July 1 through July 20 and July 22 through August 10. The same admission requirements will apply as those for summer sessions at Penn State.

## To Train Officers At Carlisle Barracks

Washington, April 12 (AP)—The army announced Thursday it will train 2,400 officers and civilians for military government posts during the next 18 months, indicating it expects the occupation of defeated Axis countries to last some time.

The group, destined for service in Europe and the Pacific, will be trained at a newly established school at Carlisle Barracks. The first class begins May 10.

The new school replaces a school of military government at Charlottesville, Va., which was closed recently. More than 3,000 officers were trained there during the war.

## Organize For Care Of Aging In State

Harrisburg, April 12 (AP)—The Pennsylvania Association for care of the Aging, temporarily formed by representatives of old age institutions throughout the commonwealth advanced plans today for a permanent organization.

The group named the Rev. William T. Swain, Jr., of Mt. Holly Springs, as its temporary chairman, and Miss Lulu Sachs, of Philadelphia, temporary secretary.

An executive committee was picked yesterday to draft plans for the permanent association consisting of the Rev. Dr. Edgar R. Heckman, Tyrone; Mrs. Jane Vanderveen, Newville, and Mrs. Esther Forssstrand, Philadelphia.

## 96 HS PUPILS ON SCHOLASTIC HONOR ROLLS

At the end of the third term ninety-six Gettysburg high school pupils have a B average or above and are eligible for the honor roll.

Twenty-nine freshmen lead followed by twenty-four juniors. The sophomores are next with twenty-two and fourth are the seniors with twenty-one. They are as follows:

### Freshmen

Nancy Baker, Gloria Bolen, Lillie Bucher, Clare Carroll, Marian Coover, Jane Deardorff, Vashti Dively, Lois Finkbone, Joyce Fissel, Glenn Gindlesperger, Robert Hottle, Darlene Kennell, Joan Knox, Ila Kuykendall, Lorraine LeGore, Helen Myers, David Neibler, Nancy Ogden, Sydney Poppy, Mae Reever, Lake Ridinger, Doris Rothaupt, Jacqueline Routsong, Mary Louise Sanders, Violet Schwartz, William Snyder, Mary Jane Svarnas, Jeanne Waltemyer, and Janet Woodward.

### Juniors

Elizabeth Blocher, Jean Bream, Myrna Bream, Donald Doerson, Patricia Ferguson, Elizabeth Ford, Anna Hankey, Mary W. Heintzelman, Lorraine Hemler, Jay Hershey, Daniel Hoffman, Winifred Jones, Doris Kars, Nadine Kline, Doris Kitzmiller, Barbara Klinefelter, Madeline Raffensperger, Alma Rinehart, Charles Rodgers, Fred Rodgers, June Sanders, Nancy Sheanbrook, Jeanne Thomas, Betty Wenschoff.

### Sophomores

Mary Bower, Marianne Bracey, Russell Campbell, Arthur Clappard, Mary Louise Cole, Ethel Coshun, Jack Cromwell, Ruth Jeanne Diehl, Ruth Eckert, Patricia Gleim, Elizabeth Hill, Galen Keeney, Mildred King, Sarah Larson, LaVaughn May, Marguerite Mickley, Alice Plank, Freda Rohrbaugh, Richard Waybright, David Weaner, Anna Weitzel, and Judith Whited.

### Seniors

Nancy Amick, Betty Angell, Florence Bowling, Mary Brindie, Betty Collins, Ruth Fortenbaugh, Margaret Gigeous, Harold Hand, Richard Heintzelman, Jacqueline Hess, Clair Keeler, Miriam Keeney, Betty Leeming, Granville Miller, Doris Rudisill, Jacqueline Sanders, Rose Marie Swisher, Richard Trussell, Geraldine Waybright, Rhoda Wilson and Barbara Ziegler.

## MAKE WOODS A CASH CROP

Harrisburg, April 12 (AP)—Pennsylvania farmers are learning there is money in the old, neglected woodlot.

Secretary James A. Kell of the Department of Forests and Waters said today more than a dozen men, graduates of forestry schools, have been assigned to the offices of district foresters to aid farmers, especially in northwestern Pennsylvania, turn the full-grown trees on their farms into cash crops.

There is usually an acre, five acres or more of woods on every farm," a department spokesman explained, "but most farmers don't realize their value."

The farm foresters, he continued, visit the farms and "cruise" the woodlots, marking the trees containing marketable timber and showing the owners how to trim out unwanted scrub and brush.

"Farmers in the past, if they cut woodlands at all, did so indiscriminately," the spokesman said. "Now the farm foresters, without any cost to farmers, show him what trees to cut and what trees to save so that he has a cash crop each year. In many cases, farmers are making enough off their woodlots to pay the taxes on their farms."

The department, he added, expects eventually to have a farm forester for every county.

### OPA "FAILURE"

Erie, Pa., April 12 (AP)—A prediction that the OPA "eventually will prove a bigger failure than prohibition" was voiced by Robert R. Wason, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, in an address before the Erie Manufacturers Association yesterday.

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## TRUMAN FLAYS ADMIRALS FOR MERGER FIGHT

Washington, April 12 (AP)—In shocked and angry silence the Navy department held aloof today from wide speculation that top-berth resignations might follow President Truman's biting blast at admirals and others opposing his armed forces merger program.

Immediate conjecture centered on whether Secretary of the Navy Forrestal might decide to quit now instead of waiting until summer, and whether Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, chief of naval operations, would request retirement. Both have vigorously fought the merger.

There was no question that Mr. Truman had the gloves off when he pointedly notified the navy where he stood. He used the words propaganda and lobbying in speaking of continued opposition, and said the public was interested in facts instead.

### Expected To Follow

The President told his news conference yesterday that, while individual naval officers are entitled to voice their honest opinions, he expected both Navy and War departments to support the unification policy when he, as Commander-in-Chief, once established.

Mr. Truman's sharp words took the Navy department completely by surprise. Forrestal, who had been ill at his home for several days, had no immediate comment. The same went for the uniformed high command.

Up until yesterday, all recent reports represented Forrestal as intending to remain in office until about July 1, the beginning of the new governmental year.

### Navy Fight "Unjustified"

The presidential views on merger opposition came when he was asked about the far-reaching unification bill recommended by a Senate Military subcommittee after months of preparation.

Mr. Truman said he had read the bill, that it had a lot of good points but he was not passing upon legislation until Congress had acted upon it.

Reporters inquired whether the navy would be allowed to continue to fight unification. Mr. Truman replied it was not justified in making a fight after he announced his decision in favor of unification.

He lit into admirals and others who still oppose the plan.

## Labor Conventions To Be Held Soon

Harrisburg, April 12 (AP)—Pennsylvania labor's gains and its continuing efforts for favorable legislation will be brought to the front in two major conventions within the next month—both before the state's primary election May 21.

The Pennsylvania Industrial Union Council (CIO) will take the stage first, meeting at Pittsburgh April 30 to May 2.

The Pennsylvania Federation of Labor (AFL) holds its first full-scale convention since 1944, May 6 to 10, at Philadelphia.

Each group claims to represent 650,000 Pennsylvania workingmen and women. Both labor organizations assert the 1944 sessions will reach new peaks of enthusiasm among its members as a consequence of the recent wage gains. But leaders are keeping an eye cocked on economic and political trends, as well.

Chico, Calif., (AP)—You've heard the one about the burglar who stole everything but the kitchen sink. Bert Loomis of Chico is looking for an intruder who broke into his home and departed with nothing but—the kitchen sink.

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Washington, April 12 (AP)—Hark  
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says nylons for everyone are a year  
and a half away. This mournful

news, which should cause women's  
pages from coast to coast to be bor-  
dered in black, comes from Warren  
A. Beh, the man who peddles the  
yarn for every pair of nylons made  
in the U. S.

**RADIO  
PROGRAMS**

**FRIDAY**  
6:00k-WEAF-454M  
4:00-Back Stage  
4:15-Stereo  
4:30-Singing  
4:45-Widener Brown  
5:00-Girl Marries  
5:15-Plain Bill  
5:30-Front Page  
6:00-News  
6:15-Grenade  
7:00-Supper Club  
7:15-News  
7:30-Mills Bros.  
7:45-News  
8:00-Duffy's  
9:00-Funny People  
9:30-Waitz Time  
10:00-Theater  
10:30-Sketch  
10:45-Uncannounced  
11:00-News  
11:15-News  
11:30-Rendezvous  
11:45-News  
12:00-WOR-423M  
4:00-Matinées  
4:30-Dr. Eddy  
5:00-Uncle Don  
5:15-Sketch  
5:30-News  
6:00-Front Page  
6:15-Baby Aces  
6:15-Hob Elson  
6:30-News  
6:45-Sports  
7:00-News  
7:15-Answer Man  
7:30-News  
7:45-Sports  
8:00-L. Brooks  
9:00-News  
9:15-Real Life  
9:30-Spot Hand  
10:00-Forum  
10:15-News  
10:30-Symphonette  
11:00-News  
11:30-Dance Or.  
7:00k-WJZ-485M  
4:00-Berch Show  
4:30-Fitzgeralds  
5:00-Horn Harrigan  
5:15-Horn Harrigan  
5:30-Dick Tracy  
5:45-J. Armstrong  
6:00-News  
6:15-Duo  
6:30-News  
6:45-Morgan  
7:00-Hallidays  
7:15-R. Swing  
7:30-Lone Ranger  
8:00-Herman Show  
8:30-FBI Show  
8:45-Young Show  
9:00-The Sheriff  
10:00-Boxing  
10:30-Sports  
11:00-News  
11:15-Sports  
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4:00-House Party  
4:30-Sing Along  
5:00-Young  
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5:30-Sports  
6:00-News  
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6:30-G. MacRae  
6:45-J. Kirby  
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7:30-Ginny Simms  
8:00-Kate Smith  
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SATURDAY  
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8:00 a.m.-News  
8:15-Not So Early  
8:45-R. Headrick  
9:00-News  
9:30-J. Hawley  
9:45-Miss. Male  
10:00-Forum  
11:00-Teenagers  
11:30-News  
12:00-News  
12:15-Consumer  
12:30-Music  
1:00-Farm Home  
1:30-Vet. Advisor  
2:00-Sketch  
2:30-A. Andrews  
3:00-Orchestra  
4:00-Doctors  
4:30-News  
4:45-News  
5:00-News  
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5:45-Duo  
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Almost one-third of the area of  
the United States is forest land.

**Williams Grove Park  
And Speedway Opens**

**Sunday, April 14th**

Williams Grove Park and Speedway will open Sunday, April 14th — with many new improvements in the popular Amusement Park, including new rides and equipment. The usual program of Free Vaudeville in the Mt. Vernon Theatre every Sunday afternoon will be followed again this year with Movies and Vaudeville every Sunday night. The Williams Grove Park Band will make its first appearance at the Park on the opening date Sunday, April 14th — also will take part in the opening program at the Speedway, when the first AAA Sanctioned Big Car Auto Race since Pearl Harbor will be run. . . . Many of the nation's leading drivers, including several who have signed to drive at the famous Indianapolis Speedway on May 30th, will "vie" for "gold and glory" — on Sunday, April 14th, on the Williams Grove Speedway — The "Ascot of the East." — Adv.

**Claims Many "Firsts"**  
The PRR claims these "firsts": steel rail, the airbrake, block signals, the application of the telephone to railroading, the train phone now in use on moving trains, steel cars, through freight trains operating on regular schedules, coordination of truck and train service and the direct-drive steam turbine engine.

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**PENNSYLVANIA  
RAILROAD ENDS  
FIRST CENTURY**

By SCOTTY MACDONALD

Philadelphia, April 12 (P)—The Pennsylvania Railroad — sprawling empire of transport born of the Keystone state's efforts to uphold Philadelphia as the nation's financial and commercial center—observes the 100th anniversary of its charter tomorrow.

On April 13, 1846, Pennsylvania Governor Francis Rawlings Shunk signed a legislative act incorporating the railroad, giving it authority to construct a line 249 miles long from Harrisburg to Pittsburgh.

Today the railroad operates in 13 busy industrial states and the District of Columbia. It serves the industrial east and connects the Atlantic seaboard through its terminals in Chicago and St. Louis with the vast western regions of the country. It gives New England a connecting rail link with the south and west.

**Has A "Navy" Too**  
The PRR has 4,848 locomotives, 7,299 units of steel passenger car equipment, 240,293 units of freight car equipment and 5,614 pieces of work equipment. It has even a "navy" of boats and barges—378 units of equipment for marine operation.

All this came about because Pennsylvanians foresaw the need of a railroad across the state.

To the north, the Erie Canal opened in 1825 and attracted much trade and traffic that could have moved through Pennsylvania. What later became the New York Central Railroad system was under construction.

To the south, the Baltimore and Ohio railroad was being extended westward, giving Baltimore a potential opportunity to receive the new west's trade.

**Service Extended**

Not until December 10, 1852, was a continuous single track railroad opened for business between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. Its pioneers realized their purpose—to build the shortest rail transportation line linking the areas east and west of the Alleghenies.

Gradual extension of rail service from Pittsburgh to Chicago was hastened by substantial investments to help the Ohio and Pennsylvania, the Ohio and Indiana, and the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroads complete their lines.

Actual consolidation of the lines between Pittsburgh and Chicago was effected in 1869. Meanwhile, construction of other important rail lines was under way, reaching for St. Louis and other midwestern cities.

**Started Electrification**

In the east, the PRR was extended to Jersey City, its terminal there at first linked to New York by ferry, and to Washington. Completion of tunnels under the Hudson and East rivers, one of the PRR's notable engineering achievements, led to construction and opening in the fall of 1910 of the railroad's New York city Pennsylvania station. The project, which included construction of Hell Gate bridge over New York's East river to connect with the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, cost \$112,000,000.

Then came electrification. In 1902 the PRR started electrifying the Long Island railroad which it had acquired. Today it has 194 electrified miles between Harrisburg and New York and 226 electrified miles between Washington and New York.

Participating in and surviving the great financial battles of the late 19th and early 20th centuries, the PRR now is owned by 214,995 stockholders. It has paid its investors a cash return every year since 1847—a total of \$1,297,893,025 (B). It has paid its employees in its century of service over \$10,000,000,000 (B) in wages.

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THE GETTYSBURG TIMES, FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1946

## COUNCIL NAMES 5 TO AUTHORITY BOARD; STUDY PROJECT PLANS

Ways and means of completing the Littlestown sewer project were discussed Thursday night at a joint meeting of the Littlestown borough council and Authority board. No definite decision was reached but another meeting will be held in the near future at which time the engineer, Francis S. Friel, of Albright and Friel, Inc., Philadelphia, will be present. After all facts and figures are assembled, possibilities of state or federal aid will be investigated.

At the beginning of its special session, the council adopted a resolution appointing five members to the Authority board for a period of five years each, all appointments retroactive to the date when the previous terms expired. William V. Sneeringer was appointed to fill a vacancy, and the four old members were re-appointed. Terms are staggered a year apart. Those appointed, and the date when their present term will expire, are as follows: W. H. Dern, July 9, 1946; William V. Sneeringer, July 9, 1947; James H. Herring, July 9, 1948; Samuel E. Renner, July 9, 1949; and Arthur E. Bair, July 9, 1950. The members of the board serve without pay.

Attorney Eugene V. Buleit reviewed the history of the sewer project to date.

### Need At Least \$225,000

Work on the sewer construction was begun here in March, 1941, under the Works Progress Administration, with the federal government providing funds for the labor and some of the materials. The Littlestown Authority board was organized to float an \$85,000 bond issue to take care of the borough's share of the undertaking. Work on the construction of a disposal plant and the laying of sewer lines was halted on April 29, 1943. The disposal plant, which was being constructed at the north end of town, is about 75 per cent completed, while about eight per cent of the lines have been laid. The construction of a pumping station is among the work remaining to be done. Sludge beds and filter beds have been constructed at the disposal plant but there are no buildings and no equipment there.

Government grants are no longer available for the work and engineers for the sewer system estimate that from \$225,000 to \$250,000 will be required to complete the work. The borough must find a means of raising this money to finish the job. At its last regular meeting, council adopted a resolution providing for an emergency payment of interest on the authority bonds, due in April and October, 1946. The first bond of \$1,000 will be due in 1947.

While no definite decisions were reached as to how the money is to be raised to complete the sewer, various possibilities were discussed, including a frontage foot assessment, public subscription, operation of the water plant by the Authority board, and another bond issue. The objections to each were brought out. Attorney Buleit stated that a further bond issue would cause sewer rental rates to be excessively high. A full investigation into the possibility of government aid will be made. One person said he thought it was a moral obligation of the federal government to help complete what it caused to be started by its offer of free labor.

The danger of an epidemic was also voiced with the streets in their present unclean condition. All present were in agreement that a sewer system was the only answer to this problem. Complaints from District of Columbia officials to this district were reported for polluting the Potomac river watershed.

### Board Reorganizes

After the general discussion, it was decided to have another joint meeting soon and have the engineer present. After that meeting, everything possible will be done to get the work on completion of the sewer started as soon as possible.

Present at the meeting were Burgess Charles R. Mehring, Councilman Howard Trostle, Edward Lester, Albert H. Kindig, LeRoy M.

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## Legion Post Adds Six New Members

The membership of the John W. Ocker Post of the American Legion was brought to 177 with the addition of six new members Thursday evening: Earl R. Yingling, George A. Kress, Jr., Earl G. Sanders, Ray Earl Hawk, Robert L. Snyder and Warren H. Wistotzky.

The post birthday banquet has been postponed due to Lenten services in town and other activities. Starting May 2, the post will hold a meeting every Thursday night. After that date, the canteen will not be open on Friday nights but instead will be open Thursday nights and Sundays.

Wilbur E. Mackley was elected as a trustee.

## Koons Florist Shop Prepares For Easter Observance Of Great Church Festival; Littlestown Business Founded In 1931

With Easter only a few days away, The Koons Florist Shop, 46 Prince street, Littlestown, is an extremely busy place, getting its blooms ready for this great church festival. Easter, according to J. Harvey Pettyjohn, proprietor of the florist business, is one of the four big seasons of the year in the florist trade. Others are Memorial Day, Mother's Day and Christmas.

Under the 12,000 square feet of glass in the five greenhouses on Prince street are hundreds of spring flowers—snapdragons, stock, cyclamen, primrose, begonias, cineraria, tulips, pansies, hyacinths, lillies, carnations, daffodils, sweet peas, petunias, geraniums and many others.

### 15,000 Tomato Plants

Ready for transplanting out of doors are 15,000 tomato plants. On the more prosaic side of the business are these and the hundred of cabbage, pepper, cauliflower and other vegetable plants raised at the greenhouses.

"It's a big, year-round job," admits Mr. Pettyjohn. And it's a job calling for long hours and constant care of the plants from seeds or bulbs to maturity and an unceasing warfare against pests and blights.

Incidentally, the flowers and plants are raised in good old Adams county soil, not imported loam. The earth is carefully prepared, however, and fertilizer or plant food added. Constant temperatures are maintained by thermostatic controls in the greenhouses.

One method of killing "bugs" is described by Mr. Pettyjohn as a nicotine "smoke." Actually, he says, the smoke becomes so thick during its use in the greenhouses that it is impenetrable. The greenhouses are closed tight when it is used to "fumigate" the bugs out of existence.

### Founded In 1931

The "smoke" and various sprays are used much often in the greenhouses than for out-of-door plants because, in the warm humid atmosphere the plant pests develop more rapidly, Mr. Pettyjohn said.

During the colder months, it is necessary to keep a good fire going constantly in the boilers, which often means staying up at night. Temperatures vary little, even in the coldest weather, however, under the glass roofs, as the thermostats maintain their work of control. Only with a high wind does the mercury sometimes drop, in spite of the heating plant's efforts.

Mr. Pettyjohn succeeded to the proprietorship of the business when



J. Harvey Pettyjohn (left) present proprietor of Koons Florist Shop and W. E. Koons, founder of the business are shown in one of the greenhouses.

## Daily Times And Littlestown Supplement Are Featured In Subscription Drive By Juniors

The borough of Littlestown and the surrounding area is receiving the finest news coverage every day in The Gettysburg Times I have ever seen," said a prominent Littlestown merchant this week.

The Gettysburg Times features a Littlestown column in each edition six days a week. On Friday a special Littlestown Supplement is published, containing not only spot news but feature articles of business, industry and individuals of Littlestown and vicinity. Photographs accompany most of the features.

Joining in a widespread movement to expand the Littlestown news program and to swell their class fund members of the Junior class of the Littlestown high school are conducting a subscription campaign for The Gettysburg Times.

"With an official representative of The Times in Littlestown we feel that we have a voice in the pub-

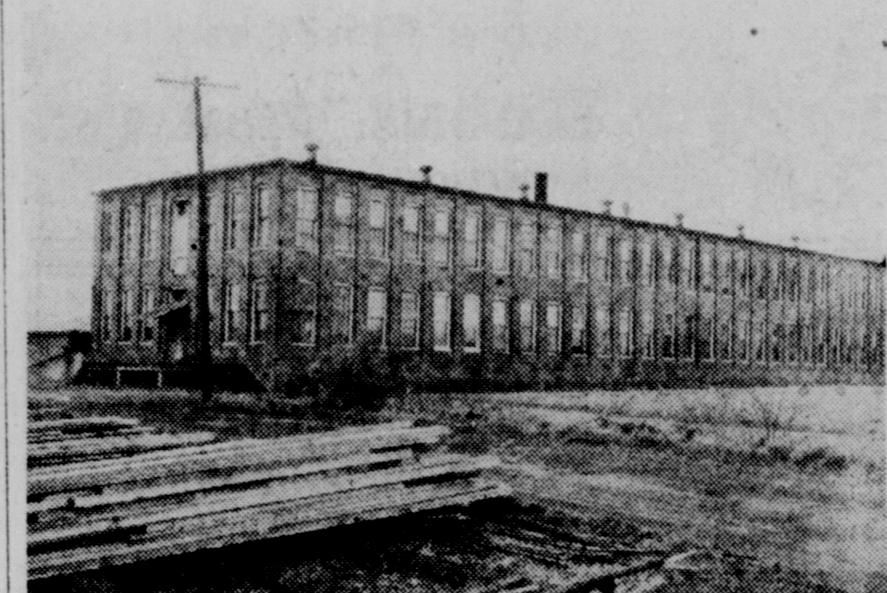
W. E. Koons, who built the greenhouses in 1931, retired September 10, 1945. Mr. Koons had been a farmer and later was employed by a florist business in Westminster before opening his own business in Littlestown. Mr. Pettyjohn worked in the Cannon Shoe company's

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The contest closes April 27.

## Silk From Japan Is Received Again By Littlestown Throwing Mill Whose Manager Has Been There Since 1903

### Littlestown Throwing Company



Forty-three years ago a two-story brick factory building was erected in Littlestown. A 16-year-old Littlestown youth went to work in it as a spinner boy. Today Thomas Staley is manager of the plant, now known as the Littlestown Throwing company.

Sydney Suter and Henry Musser of York, owners of the Monarch Silk mill in that city, erected the 50 by 210 feet building and installed machinery for both throwing and weaving of silk. The plant started operations in January, 1904.

Since that time, the plant itself has changed hands several times, and taken new names with almost every change in ownership and management, but it has remained in continuous operation, except for one period of approximately six months, it has turned out silk all these years, and Manager Staley has remained, in one position or another, from spinner boy to manager.

In 1906 W. R. Thomas, Cataqua, and Charles Lotte, Littlestown, took over the mill. They operated it as the Littlestown Silk Mill. In 1930 it was consolidated with the Wahnetah Silk company at Cataqua. A half dozen or so years later the Wahnetah mills went out of business. It was idle for a few months. Then the Adams Processing company rented the building. This firm retained it until March 29, 1943, when Newell Coxon, Harrisburg, bought the mill. It had been intended to use it for the manufacture of wood heels for shoes, but when Mr. Coxon saw the machinery he left it as a silk mill.

**Could Use More Help**

At the present time the Littlestown Throwing company furnishes employment for about 60 persons, most of them women. It could use more help if it could get it, Mr. Staley says. The machinery with which the plant is equipped cannot be utilized to capacity because of this shortage of help.

"We have about 60 employees, and we could use 100," Mr. Staley said. "We've got the business but we can't get the help."

The mill operates as what is known as a commission mill. It re-

ceives the silk, spins or twists it into thread, and ships it to dyers and weavers. It comes into the plant as raw silk, and goes out ready to be dyed and made into everything from dresses, scarfs, neckties and hats to the ribbon decorations on the chests of G.I.'s.

During the war years almost all of the silk from the Littlestown Throwing company was used by the army or navy. It may have gone into parachutes, but it was seldom that those working in the plant ever knew. During the war years most of the silk processed was rayon or celanese. The Littlestown mill now, for the first time since before the Pearl Harbor sneak attack, is receiving Japanese silk again, but only in small quantities.

### Miles of Thread Made

Silk also comes to the Littlestown plant from China, Brazil and Italy. That from China is packed in bales wrapped in straw matting. The saying that good things come in small packages could be paraphrased in this case to say that valuable shipments come in small packages. A

recent shipment of raw silk delivered by express to the plant consisted of only a few small packages, but was valued at \$15,000. The insurance cost more than the express charges.

Fire and burglar insurance on the plant, and more particularly its contents, is an expensive item. Raw silk costs, at the present time, \$15 a pound, Mr. Staley said. It doesn't take much silk to make a pound.

The spinning reels and spools in the plant create a constant hum of activity 24 hours a day. The plant runs around the clock because it is not possible in all operations to break the thread when the whistle blows. The raw silk is soaked, dried, and its fine threads spun and twisted, so many threads for that kind, a different number for that, and 11 turns left and four turns right, or in some other ratio, depending upon specifications.

One skein of spun thread, ready for shipment to the dyer or weaver, may contain 10,000 or more yards of silk, real silk running as high as 20,000 yards to a skein.

## Couple Observes 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Myers observed their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday. They were entertained at dinner at the Battlefield hotel, Gettysburg, by their daughter, Mrs. Dennis Hartlaub, Littlestown, and their son, Vernon Myers, Hanover. Mr. and Mrs. Myers have lived in this district all their lives and were married in St. John's Lutheran parsonage April 7, 1896, by the Rev. W. C. Wire.

Mr. Myers was born in Carroll County in 1875, a son of the late Daniel and Lydia Myers, and Mrs. Myers was born in Mount Joy township in 1876, a daughter of the late Emanuel and Maria Worley. Mr. Myers had delivered bread in Littlestown for 22 years, starting under Clair Hildebrand, and continuing for the past 20 years under Charles M. Weikert, who bought out Hildebrand. Mrs. Myers is employed by the George Collins Cigar Manufacturing company.

## PALM SUNDAY AND HOLY WEEK TO BE MARKED

### St. Paul's Lutheran

The Rev. David S. Kammerer, pastor: Catechetical class, Saturday, 1 p.m.; church school, 9:30 a.m.; morning service, 10:30 a.m.; sermon theme, "The Christian Spirit;" sermon to catechumens who will be received into active membership; Christian Endeavor meeting, 6 p.m.; special service by the young people of the Christian Endeavor society, 7:30 p.m. Services will be conducted every night during Holy Week, Monday through Friday at 7:30 p.m. Sermon subjects will be: Monday—"The Sufferings of Jesus;" Tuesday—"Peter's Denial of Jesus;" Wednesday — Musical program by the choir entitled "From Darkness To Light," from T. J. Tchaikowski; Thursday—"At the Foot of the Cross" (Preparatory Service); Friday—Holy Communion. On Easter Sunday there will be a Dawn Service and Easter Meditation at 6:30 a.m.; Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m.

The Confirmation class is: Evelyn Anthony, Betty Larue Hess, Jane Louise Miller, C. Bernice Plunkert, Erma Marie Spangler, Vestal Mae Sentsz, Joan Barbara Belten, Joyce Lee Belten, Jean Larue Wolfe, Clyde Mahlon Hooker, Kenneth Carroll Eyer, A. Richard Geisler, Luther Sylvester Hess and Ray David Sentsz.

### St. John's Lutheran

The Rev. Kenneth D. James, pastor: Sunday school, 9 a.m.; divine worship, 10:15 a.m.; sermon theme, "How Permanent Is The Cross?" confirmation of catechumens: Harriet Lillian Badders, Mary Lou Boyd, Janet Louise Crabb, Barbara Ann Harner, Mary Louise Renner, Joann Elizabeth Stites, Eloise Marie Yealy, Harold George Cool, Francis Gerrick, Harold Oscar Gerrick, Glenn Nathan Lippy, David Allen Meckley, Shirley Mae Renner, Joel Delano Mumment, and Richard Edward Wolfe.

Holy Week Services will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 8 o'clock. Friday evening Preparatory service will be held. Holy Communion on Easter at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. A service of public baptism will be held Easter at 2 p.m. The confirmation class will meet tonight at 7 o'clock.

### Centenary Methodist

The Rev. Robert H. Sheehan, pastor: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:30 a.m.; Holy Communion and also a special baptismal service will be held as part of the worship hour. Methodist Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p.m.

### St. Aloysius' Catholic

The Rev. John H. Weber, pastor: Confessions, Saturday, 4 to 5:30 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.; Low Mass, Sunday 7:30 a.m.; when the members of the Holy Name society will receive Holy Communion in a body; High Mass, 10 a.m.; Blessing and distribution of palms; Sunday school after the masses; Women's school.

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## Joint Choirs Will Give Cantata Sunday

The joint choirs of the Mt. Zion Reformed church, Spring Grove, and of Redeemer's Reformed church, in this place, will present a cantata, Stainer's "The Crucifixion," in Redeemer's Reformed church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program consisted of a community hymn sing and colored pictures, with religious music and a spiritual message. A choir, composed of members of all Christian Endeavor societies of the county, led the music. Miss Lois Yealy, Littlestown, president of the County Union, presided at the piano.

After a prelude of recorded music, the group sang "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." "In the Service of the King," and "I Love to Tell the Story," with Rev. Case as song leader.

The committee in charge consists of Mark Frazer, Reid Pitten, Dewey Baumgardner, Ray N. Beard and George Hornberger.

Albert Stock, Littlestown, read the ninth and one-hundredth psalms. Prayer was offered by Jeanette Trostle, of the Marsh Creek Brethren Christian Endeavor Society. A quartet composed of Albert Bair, Robert DeGroft, Robert Sholl, and Clarence Schwartz, Jr., members of the host society, sang "The Lord's Prayer." "Then Jesus Came," a recorded story told by Homer Roddecker, followed after which there was a trumpet selection by a quartet composed of Dorothy Nary, Biglerville; George Gantz, Aspers; Owen Coble, Bendersville; and Richard Bucher, Aspers. They played "Hallelujah's Chorus," by Weber; and "Ninth Symphony" by Beethoven. The choruses sang "Smile, Smile, Pray," "Walking With Jesus," and "Hallelujah, Praised the Lord."

Members of the Ocker post committee in charge of arrangements for the annual carnival to be held July 4, 5, and 6, gave reports at the Legion meeting Thursday. Music on Friday, July 5, will be furnished by Happy Johnnie and his Radio Gang.

The committee in charge consists of Wilbur E. Mackley, chairman; Claude E. Snyder, Charles Mumment, Robert Sell, Ernest W. Sentsz, Luther Hanken, Clarence Krichten, Jr., Mark Frazer, Joseph Long, and Kenneth Steick.

Miss Rita Sneeringer, who was recently discharged from the Waves, has returned to her former position in the office of the Windsor Shoe company.

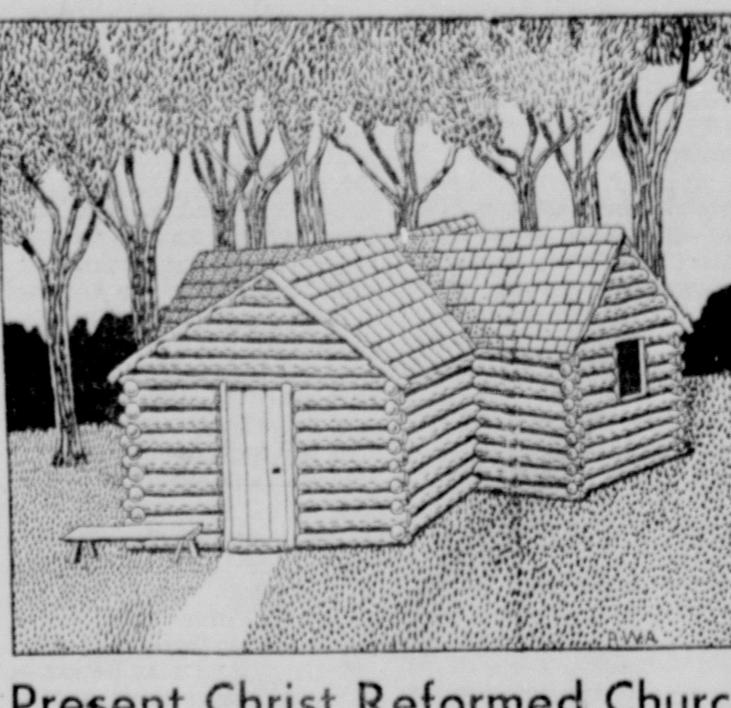
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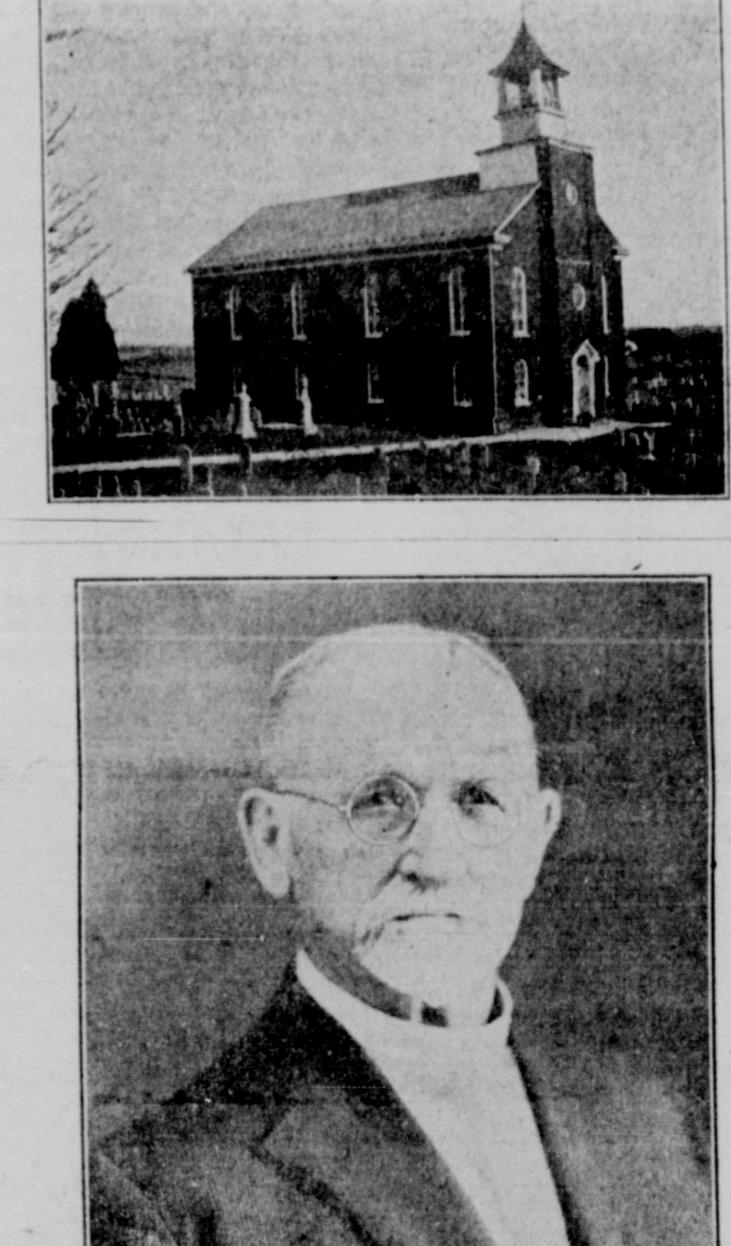
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### First Service Held In Schoolhouse

## First Christ Reformed Church



Present Christ Reformed Church



# CHRIST CHURCH PASTOR BEGAN DUTIES IN 1940

The Rev. John C. Brumbach of Christ Reformed church near Littlestown became pastor on October 1, 1940, succeeding the Rev. H. H. Hartman, D.D., who retired on May 1, 1940, and moved to Royersford.

Rev. Brumbach was born in Reading, Pa., and was graduated from Reading high school in the Class of 1919. He was graduated from Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, in 1923, with a bachelor of arts degree and Phi Beta Kappa honors. He was graduated from the Theological seminary of the Reformed Church, Lancaster, in 1926.

Present officers of the Aerie, whose terms will expire in June, are: Worthy President, Robert Barnes; Past worthy president, Bernard Selby; worthy vice president, P. L. Roy Harner; secretary, John W. Dutera; treasurer, Edward G. Loefel; trustees, Lewis Clingan, Ivan Richrode, and Joseph Selby; chaplain, Robert Bevenour; conductor, Edgar A. Wissotzkey; inside guard, Herman Kaler; outside guard, Samuel Smeltzer; stewards, Charles Randall, William Wilt, and Edwin Ulrich.

## Eagles To Nominate Officers Thursday

Nominations for officers of the Littlestown Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will be made at a regular meeting of the Aerie next Thursday, April 18, at the Eagle home, according to an announcement today by Secretary John W. Dutera, of the local Aerie.

All nominations for officers must be made at this meeting according to Grand Aerie law, said Secretary Dutera.

The election of officers will be held at the Aerie Home on May 2. The officers elected at this meeting will be installed to serve during the fiscal year 1946-47 at the first meeting of the Aerie in June.

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## Littlestown News Notes

The Ladies' Aid society of Redeemer's Reformed church made plans for its annual Easter Market to be held Saturday, April 20, at 9 a. m., at the regular meeting Tuesday evening. A house-to-house canvass will be made among the members of the congregation for donations of foodstuffs, cakes, candies or anything which is saleable. Donations of foodstuffs, cakes, candies will be next Saturday morning.

Maurice C. Warchein attended the annual meeting of the representatives of the Odd Flosses Homes of Pennsylvania which was held Wednesday at the home in Middlebury. He was the representative of Sylvan Lodge, No. 613, IOOF, Littlestown.

A birthday dinner in honor of Rev. DeGroft was held Sunday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeGroft. The guests were: Albert Bair, Robert Scholl, Marion Bankert, Shirley Spangler, Clarence Schwartz, Jr., Bernice Gerrick, Jean Yealy, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lemmon and daughter Darla.

Charles R. Everhart, son of Mrs. Vernon Reaver, has enlisted in the U. S. Army, and has been sent to Camp Polk, La., for his basic training.

Rev. Kenneth D. James, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Moudy and Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Dutera, attended the funeral Tuesday in Keedysville, Md., of Mrs. Moudy's brother-in-law and Mrs. Dutera's uncle, W. C. Geeting. The Rev. Mr. James officiated at the funeral.

Rev. Brumbach married Margaret E. Keefer at Bloomsburg, Pa., on July 30, 1930. They have one daughter, Audrey Ellen.

## PHONES HOME FROM ITALY

Pfc. Emory W. Wintrode, who is in Gorizia, Italy, talked Thursday morning with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Wintrode, Littlestown. They had received a message last Monday morning informing them that a telephone message from their son would be put through to the Claude W. Harner grocery store, a short distance from their home, at 10 a. m. Thursday morning. At 10 minutes after 10 the call came through but contact was delayed until 10:40 o'clock because of atmospheric conditions. The lad first talked with his mother and then with his father.

His mother had recently been in the Hanover General hospital, where she had been operated upon. The family did not notify their sons of her illness until after she had returned home, not wishing to worry them. When Emory received the letter containing word of his mother's operation, he arranged for the telephone conversation. He is 21, and has been in the army thirty-one months. Twenty-five months have been spent in Italy. He has not had furlough since leaving his home for induction.

He is with the 338th Infantry Regiment of the 85th (Custer) Division. He was awarded the Combat Infantry badge for participation in battle against the enemy on the Fifth Army front in Italy. He has re-enlisted for three more years. He told his parents that he expects to get a furlough home within the next few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Wintrode have another son in the service. He is Pfc. Lloyd C. Wintrode, who is with the Coast Artillery in Sendio, Japan. He has spent 41 months in the service, twenty-eight of which have been spent in the Pacific theater of operations. In December of 1945, he re-enlisted for 18 months. Six months of this enlistment will be spent on foreign soil after which he will return to the United States for a 90-day furlough and re-assignment for the remaining year of his enlistment. Lloyd is 25 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Wintrode also have a son-in-law in the service. He is T/Sgt. Vernon Study, husband of the former Miss Bernice Wintrode. He entered the service a year ago and has been overseas six months. He is now stationed on Okinawa.

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Sodality, 6:45 p. m.; evening devotions, 7 p. m. Stations of the Cross, sermon and benediction will be held at 7:30 p. m.

### Christ Reformed Church

The Rev. John C. Brumbach pastor: Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; preparatory service, 10:30 a. m.; sermon theme, "Marching With Jesus;" the Confirmation class will

worship in a body at this service. Following the preparatory service, elders will meet with the catechumens.

Services next week will be as follows: Monday, 7:30 p. m. final meeting of the regular Catechetical class and Holy Week services; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; Confirmation service for the regular Catechetical class; sermon, "Rock-like People"; Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Confirmation service for the Adult class and reception of members by renewal of profession; sermon theme, "What Confirmation Means To Me;" Good Friday, 7:30 p. m., Holy Communion; sermon, "At The Foot Of The Cross;" Easter, 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion, at which time both Confirmation classes will receive their first Holy Communion.

### St. Luke's Reformed, Nr. White Hall

The Rev. John C. Brumbach, pastor: Holy Communion, 9 a. m., at which time the members of the Confirmation class will receive their first Holy Communion at this service; Sunday school, 10 a. m.

### Redeemer's Reformed

The Rev. Arthur Leeming, pastor: Church school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.; Cantata, "The Crucifixion," 7:30 p. m.

### Grace Lutheran, Two Taverns

The Rev. Dr. J. M. Myers, pastor: Preparatory service tonight at 7:45 p. m.; Sunday school, 9 a. m.; morning worship and Holy Communion, 10 a. m.

## Bowling League WOMEN'S LEAGUE

### Week's Results

Monday—Weikert's, 3; Windsor Packing, 0.  
Tuesday—Schettie's, 2; Windsor Office, 1.  
Wednesday—Windsor Stitching, 2; Blue Ridge, 1.  
Thursday—Jones, 2; Bankert's, 1.

### STANDING

	W.	L.
Weikert's	63	21
Bankert's	55	29
Windsor Stitching	43	41
Jones	42	36
Windsor Packing	34	47
Windsor Office	34	50
Schotties	28	50
Blue Ridge	27	54

### MEN'S LEAGUE

### Week's Results

Monday—Eagles, 3; Bowling Center, 0.  
Tuesday—Keystone, 2; Rotary, 1.  
Wednesday—Has-Beens, 2; Texas, 1.

### STANDING

	W.	L.
Eagles	54	27
Keystone	43	35
Big Six	43	38
Has-Beens	41	40
Texas	40	41
Bowling Center	34	47
Rotary	34	47
Foundry	32	46

## C. E. RALLY IS

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by Miss Lois Yealy, president of the Union. It was announced that an Easter Dawn Service will be held at 6:30 a. m. Easter Sunday on the seminary campus, Gettysburg. In the event of rain it will be held in the Seminary Chapel. The Rev. Mr. Carroll, Gettysburg, will be the speaker. Robert DeGroft, president of the St. Paul's Society, was named county registrar for the State Christian Endeavor Convention to be held in Chambersburg July 1 to 6.

Following the business session, an interpretation of the hymn, "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind" followed, after which Miss June Cou-

son, Biglerville, sang a solo, "I Walk Today Where Jesus Walked." She was accompanied on the piano by Barbara Klinefeier. "Down From His Glory" was interpreted by the group. Colored pictures and synchronized music followed. The offering was received by Albert Bair, Robert DeGroft, Robert Scholl, and Clarence Schwartz, Jr., who served as ushers for the evening. The closing prayer was offered by the pastor of the host church, Rev. David S. Kammerer, Littlestown.

The committee in charge of the program included: Miss Myrtle Raffensperger, Biglerville, chairman; Miss Betty Shlaibach, Biglerville; Miss Dorothy Nary, Biglerville; and Miss Lois Yealy, Littlestown, president of the union.

Representatives were present from Christian Endeavor Societies of the Presbyterian, Reformed, United Brethren, and Lutheran Churches of Adams County.

## ALL DAY PUBLIC SALE

### FARM IMPLEMENTS, LIVE STOCK and REAL ESTATE

Beginning at 9 O'clock Sharp

Sale due to shortage of labor, will continue farming and custom work. I will sell on the farm I purchased from Alton Brandenburg, 20 miles east of Frederick, on Route 40, one-half mile east of Lisbon, on Daisy Road, on

FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1946

### 50 Head of Dairy Cattle

30 heifers weighing from 70-100 lbs. each; 40 heats weighing from 30-70 lbs.; two sows with pigs, 3 bred sows and one male hog.

15 Head of Steers

Five of these are large fat Hereford steers and ten small Hereford steers weighing from 400-600 lbs. each.

5 Head of Horses

One black mare, 5 years old, excellent worker; 2 horses, 5 years old, broken and good workers; two 4 years old mares.

Five Late Model Tractors on Rubber

One 1940 Model U. C. Farmall-type Allis-Chalmers, one 1945 Model B Allis-Chalmers tractor with power take-off and two-way pick-up plows and wood saw, tractor equipped with starter and lights; one 1942 Model U. M.-M. tractor equipped with starter and lights; one 1941 Model GT tractor, equipped with starter and lights, new tires all around; one 12-20 Case tractor.

Trucks and Car

One 1935 Chevrolet standard coupe, good tires; one 1936 Chevrolet panel truck, new tires; one 1941 Chevrolet pick-up, good rubber, motor recently overhauled and new brakes; one 1941 one and one-half-ton Chevrolet truck with new motor and four new tires.

Balers, Thresher, Elevator and Combine

One 1945 New Holland pick-up baler on rubber, sold on guarantee; one 1945 International stationary baler with 24-horsepower auxiliary motor on rubber, built less than 100 tons of straw, motor never used; one 1945 Model 60 Allis-Chalmers combine power take-off; one 1940 28x46 Huber roto-rack thresher on rubber, with off-set blower and straw drag, complete; one 30-ft. Ruth bale elevator, used for feed and corn, with gasoline engine.

Corn Binder, Pickers and Huskers, Shredder

One 1945 two-row power take-off International corn binder with bundle carrier on rubber; one 1944 one-row M-M corn picker and husker on rubber; one 1944 two-row M-M corn picker and husker on rubber; one 1944 Rosenthal husker and shredder model, forty-four rolls with corn sacker, in perfect condition.

Tractor, Grain Drills and Binder

One 1945 16x7 John Deere tractor drill, double power lift and footboard, sown only 150 acres; one 1945 13x7 John Deere tractor drill, double power lift, footboard, sown less than 100 acres; one 8-ft. John Deere horse binder, tractor hitch, new canvas, used 5 years; one 10-ft. John Deere power take-off binder on rubber, new canvas, used four years.

Feed Equipment

One 1945 Model D-M-M power corn sheller, capacity 300 bushels per hour, with cob stoker and cleaner; one 1940 13x7 Dellingen hammermill, with governor and feed rollers, four screens, one 1/2-ton Dellingen batch feed mixer and sacker; one two-ton Brower upright feed mixer, 7 1/2-h. p. electric motor, never used.

Tractor and Farm Implements

One 1945 Model 12 New Ideal tractor spreader on rubber; 1 Ohio tractor spreader, steel, one 3-horse International spreader, used less than 6 months; 1 M-M two-horse manure spreader, rubber; one 1-section M-M lever harrow, one 3-section John Deere harrow, 2 wooden frame harrows, 2 spike-tooth harrows; 1 new John Deere corn planter with fertilizer attachment; one 1945 International lime spreader, 1 new 8-ft. Judson all-metal lime spreader, never used; tractor hitch on both lime spreaders; two 1945 Sears Roebuck wagons on rubber, 14-ft. body, racks and sides; 1 home-made wagon on rubber; 1 Case horse mower, new; one 1945 John Deere horse mower, 1 Case riding corn worker, 3 International corn workers, one 8-ft. International cultipacker, with seeder attached; one 10-ft. cultipacker, two 3-ft. plow packers with hitch; one 1945 Gunco manure loader and buck rake, fits any cultivator-type tractor; New Ideal side-delivery rake, one 14-in. Allis-Chalmers single-bottom tractor plow, never used; two 3-gang 14-in. bottom J. D. plows, late models; one 16-in. Dellingen plow, 8-ft. body, 8-in. 3-horse manure spreader; one 1945 John Deere 9-ft. heavy duty disc harrow, one 1-horse 5-shovel cultivator, 8 large hog feeders, some all metal; three 60-gallon hot watering fountains, five-barrel automatic hog fountains, never used; 75 new 14-inch John Deere plow shares, sell in lots of five; 1 new cylinder for Allis-Chalmers Model 60 combine, one 2-h. p. Ingersoll-Rand air compressor with 50 ft. hose and gauge, never uncapped; one 50-lb. high pressure grease outfit; 1 Lincoln gun filler, 25 gallons, new cylinder oil, 8 Lincoln grease guns, A. C. Model B cultivator, McCormick-Deering alfalfa drill.

## Christ Reformed Church

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1798. This building had galleries on three sides, and a high funnel-shaped pulpit. The elders, in 1798, when the present substantial brick church was built, were Andrew Shriver and Jacob Parr. They, together with Conrad Dutcher, Ludwig Mouse, and Jacob Will, constituted the building committee. John Dysert was secretary. He was also the teacher of the school connected with the church. The church was incorporated in 1828, the charter bearing the signature of Gov. J. A. Schulitz, and is dated March 5, 1828. The first trustees elected under the charter were John Wintrode, Michael Crouse, George Will, John Young, Samuel Shriver, John Snyder, George Dutcher, Christian Heiler, and John Study. Jacob Keller was appointed treasurer.

### Enlarged and Beautified

The brick church building was enlarged and beautified in the year 1877, and is now a two-story building. This rebuilding program cost about \$8,000. The basement was and is now used by the Sunday School, and the upper room for the regular divine services as well as Sunday School. The Sunday School room was again remodeled and enlarged in 1888 to accommodate the increasing number of scholars. There is an attractive Primary department and a large room for the main school.

In 1896 the upper room was greatly improved and beautified. A pipe organ was installed, the walls frescoed, the floor raised. New comfortable pews took the place of the old ones, new pulpit furniture displaced the old, and a magnificent memorial window was placed in the front part of the room sacred to the memory of Rev. Michael Schlatter, D.V.M., and the pastors who have served the congregation since its organization.

Rev. Jacob Lischey was pastor from 1749 to 1751; Rev. Theodore Frankenfeld, 1752-1756; and Rev. John C. Steiner, 1756-1759. Pastors during the period 1759-1775 were until recently simply listed as "supplied," but in December, 1942, Prof. William J. Hinke, Ph.D., D.D., of Auburn Theological Seminary, Auburn, N. Y., who is an expert on the signatures of 18th century Reformed ministers, made a translation of the original baptismal and communicant records of Christ Church, and as a result of his labors has been able to fill in some of these supplies, as follows:

Rev. John Waldschmidt, 1763.  
Rev. Jacob Lischey, 1764-1769.  
Rev. J. Jacob Zufall, 1771-1772.  
Rev. John Christopher, 1772-1774.  
The pastors of Christ Church since 1775 are listed as follows:

Rev. Charles L. Boehm, 1775-1779.  
Rev. John C. Gobrecht, 1779-1807.  
Rev. Charles Helfenstein, 1809-1813.  
Rev. Jacob Weistling, 1813-1824.  
Rev. Frederick W. Bindeman, 1826-1827.

Rev. Samuel Gutelius, 1828-1837.  
Rev. Jacob Seehler, 1837-1866.  
Rev. John M. Clemens, 1867-1869.  
Rev. Casper Scheel, 1870-1872.  
Rev. John A. Ault, 1873-1880.  
Rev. John Kretzinger, 1881-1886.  
Rev. F. S. Lindaman, D.D., 1886-1926.

Rev. W. A. Kline, D.D., Dean of Ursinus, Assistant Pastor, 1896-1927.

Rev. H. H. Hartman, D.D., 1926-1940.

Rev. John C. Brumbach, since Oct. 1, 1940.

### Had Three Parsonages

Christ church has had three different parsonages in Littlestown. The first was on North Queen street, the second on East King street beside the former Krebs academy, and the present parsonage at 323 East King street. The present parsonage was erected during the first year of Dr. Hartman's pastorate.

In 1929, a hardwood floor was laid in the Sunday School room. The art windows were all re-leaded in the auditorium; and an organ blower was installed. The interior of the auditorium was decorated and the wood-work varnished. A year later the exterior of the church was painted. In 1941, the Sunday School was re-decorated.

Plans are in progress at this time for the celebration of the 200th anniversary on May 4, 1947. The auditorium will be re-decorated and other repairs will be made in preparation for this great event. At that time, it is hoped that more complete history of the congregation, which the present pastor is compiling, will be ready for publication. The 175th anniversary of Christ church was celebrated in 1922 during the pastorate of the late Rev. Dr. F. S. Lindaman, 1922 was also the 50th Anniversary of the ordination of

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Rev. Dr. H. H. Hartman, who preceded Rev. Brumbach as pastor of Christ Reformed church. He now lives at Royersford.

ation of Rev. Lindaman into the Ministry. The 175th Anniversary Program was conducted from June 4 to June 11, 1922.

### Present Membership 504

The present membership of the church is 504, and the Sunday School enrollment is 317. The value of the property, including church, parsonage, cemetery, farm and buildings, is over \$25,000.

Fifty-eight members of the congregation have served in the armed forces, four of whom made the supreme sacrifice. On April 11, 1943, a special service was held at which time a service flag was presented to the congregation by Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. Snyder and daughter in memory of their son and brother, F. 2/c Glenn Allen Snyder, United States Navy, who was reported missing in action on September 13, 1942, and was first casualty of the World War II from Littlestown. At the same time an Honor Roll, containing the names of the members of the congregation in the armed forces, was presented by the Sunday School.

In addition to Glenn A. Snyder, who was reported missing in action in the Battle of Savo Island, September 13, 1942, and presumed dead on August 10, 1943, the following from Christ Church gave their lives: Cpl. Richard Miller Palmer, killed in action in France on D-Day, June 6, 1944; Pfc. Archie H. Feesser, killed in action in France on D-Day, 12, 1944; and Sgt. Albert D. Crabb, Jr., killed in action over Germany, April 10, 1945.

### Honor Roll Members

Francis C. Lindaman, grandson of the late Rev. Dr. F. S. Lindaman, is a Field Director of the American Red Cross, and is now in Paris. Of the 58 in the Army and Navy, 33 have been discharged to date. The remainder of the Honor Roll members are:

Orien H. Bair, Melvin Baumgard-

ner, Orville L. Booze, Ralph E. Good, Lloyd C. Shue, Cletus L. Wildasin, Clair M. Arter, Wilbur R. Lemmon, Harry A. Strine, Lawrence E. Koonitz, John L. Palmer, Elmer R. Bittle, Robert E. Baker, Clyde L. Sterner, Gerald W. Sterner, Edward Warner, Glenn Sterner.

Reginald Hershey, Marvin C. Hershey, Robert E. Sents, John H. Shue, Jr., Noah V. Brown, Mildred L. Kirchner, Fred Baker, Woodrow Crabb, Bernard L. Clouser, Melvin L. Rodgers, Leroy W. Berwager, Elven L. Chronister, George F. Hysler, Theron B. Baumgardner, Paul M. Forsythe, Laverne E. Rebert, Kenneth Arter.

Aaron Bair, Nevin Bechtel, Mark Berwager, Stuart Berwager, Harry Feeser, Lester Ferry, Merle Forsythe, Thomas LaPresche, John Lemmon, Howard Mumford, Clyde F. Myers, Wilbur Opdyke, Jr., John Reinold, David Rodgers, William Rodgers, John N. Sell, Ernest Shealer, Fred Shriver, John J. Strevig.

The consistory of Christ church is at present composed of the following Elders: Harry E. Bair, Wilson J. Bair, George W. Berwager, Isaiah J. Forry, Clair R. Markle, and Harry C. Wildasin; deacons: Leroy W. Berwager, Russell V. Brown, Amos Carbaugh, Ivan C. Dutcher, Alvin Gerrick, C. Daniel Good, Erwin A. Rebert, Stanley R. Sell, and Richard M. Withers; 1946 officers: Rev. John C. Brumbach, president; Clair R. Markle, vice president; Harry C. Wildasin, financial and recording secretary; Stanley R. Sell, assistant secretary; Erwin A. Rebert, treasurer; George W. Berwager, assistant treasurer; Harry E. Bair, delegate to Mercersburg Synod; George W. Berwager, alternate; trustees: Edgar Berwager, Joseph Bollinger, Irvin C. Markle, H. W. Schwartz, Roy A. Sterner, Ralph I. Unger, Harvey C. Wildasin, Jacob M. Wildasin, and John M. Wisler. The organist is Miss Norma Miller. Rev. John C. Brumbach.

**School Organization**  
The officers of Christ Reformed Sunday School are: President, Rev. John C. Brumbach; general superintendent, Harry E. Bair; assistant superintendent, Mervin L. Myers; secretary, Lewis E. Bair; assistant, George W. Berwager; treasurer, Harry C. Wildasin; assistant, Stanley R. Sell; superintendent of leadership training, Harvey W. Schwartz; superintendent of temperance, Wilson J. Bair; superintendent of children's division, Mrs. Leroy W. Berwager; assistant, Mrs. Ralph Unger; superintendent of home department, Mrs. Emma Garrett; assistant, Mrs. Sarah Berwager; superintendent of cradle roll, Mrs. Roy Sterner; assistant, Mrs. Stanley Sell; superintendent of missions, Mrs. Harvey Schwartz; assistant, Mrs. Isaiah Forry; librarians, Glenn Unger and Gloria Warner; assistants, Theodore Bair, Jean Markle, and Ruth Sterner.

(The author of this sketch wishes to express his appreciation to Rev.

## Koons Florist

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plant in McSherrystown and helped out on a part time basis in the florist business before he took over the full time operation. Mr. Pettyjohn's wife "grew up" in the business founded by her father.

### Raises Most Flowers

The Koons shop is the only one in Littlestown and supplies most of the flowers and plants used in that borough and in Taneytown and other communities. Although Mr. Koons retired from the florist business last year, he still helps out in the greenhouses.

The shop raises almost all of its own flowers, except roses, gardenias and orchids, which, with the greens used in bouquets and sprays, it buys

from wholesalers. Some flowers, Mr.

Pettyjohn said, grow the year round, while there are definite seasons for others, even under greenhouse cultivation. Snapdragons, for instance, are "in season" from December to June, while other blooms, such as stock, cyclamen, primrose, begonia, cineraria and others bloom from January to June. Most flowers from bulbs are seasonal, blooming in the Spring. Gladiolas, however, bloom the year round. Carnations are "in season" from September to June, "Mums" from September to January, and calla lilies from October to June. Easter lilies, in a profusion of blooms right now, come in the spring, as do the tulips and hyacinths. Mr. Pettyjohn has 2,500 geraniums in bloom or approaching the flower stage. Many of these are used at Memorial day, he said.

Mr. Pettyjohn also has a large number of potted ferns and palms for decorative purposes, for weddings and other functions. He supplies a large number of bridal bouquets and corsages and makes up floral pieces for funerals. Cactus and foliage plants are also raised in the greenhouses.

John C. Brumbach, who compiled

the greater part of this material both from his own personal records

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## The Story Of Andrew Schreiber

### (Shriver) Early Town Settler

(Continued from last Friday's Littlestown Supplement of The Gettysburg Times)

"Ann squatted on the bank of the stream. The family's clothes lay partially on the bank and partially in the tiny rivulet. With a wooden paddle she beat the clothes. The dirt slid away in long dark stains in the water.

The day was perfect for washing. The warm sun sat above the trees and smiled benignantly at the world beneath. Bees and flies hummed drowsy songs through the tall weeds.

A lazy southern wind occasionally shifted the leaves of the trees and made waves of the high weeds and then, exhausted by its slight endeavors, lay back to rest before playfully caressing the earth once more. The stream sang a brisk little song over the stones as if pretending it was the only thing in all creation that had business to transact.

Ann smiled at herself, noting that the stream, more than she herself, was engaged in washing the clothes. The thump of her paddle against the clothes came more and more infrequently. Slightly angered at her latitudine she beat out a sudden spurt of thuds that deepened the dirt stain in the water and splashed her in the process. The water felt cool and soft on her arms and face.

#### Wagon Is Completed

She looked up to see Andrew standing near her, smiling. She had not noticed that the hammering sound that had come most of the morning from the new shed near the cabin had ceased.

"I must have been day dreaming," she said.

"What?" Andrew sometimes could not follow the conversation or moods of his wife.

"Never mind," she smiled mysteriously.

But Andy was full of himself and the puzzling conversation did not bother him long. Grasping Ann by the hand he led her gaily toward the house despite her protests about the clothes.

"Look," he said proudly, when they reached the shed.

There it stood, the brand new wagon. Andrew had cut four wheels from a large log, rounded them and drilled holes for the axles. From time to time during the winter, seated before the fireplace during long evenings, he had been busy with knife and axe rounding out the wheels. Now he had contracted the frame and had put on the axles and had placed the wheels. The soap about the axles where the wheels fitted made a dark patch against the lighter wood. The warmth had caused the soap to melt and it made tiny paths down the side of the wheels.

Ann's eyes danced with pride. In a quick birdlike motion she turned and planted a light kiss on Andrew's cheek. "It is wonderful," she said, and Andrew basked in her appreciation of his handiwork.

#### The First Ride

Usually the days were full of hard work, but there were on occasion the delights of life—like the completion of the wagon. Andrew and Ann, hardworking though they were,

One Delaware, who was more

## John W. Kammerer Accepts Church Call

John W. Kammerer, son of Rev. and Mrs. David S. Kammerer, Littlestown, has accepted a call to become pastor of the Marysville

friendly and outspoken than the others, made it a point to stop frequently on his trips. This time he seemed agitated. He asked for Andrew and instead of coming into the cabin stood in the doorway and looked about him as he spoke. His voice was low and he seemed wary of being overheard.

#### Warned of Trouble

"Tell Andrew," he said, "that times of great trouble are upon us. There are white men of the French nation who are feeding firewater to our peoples. There are men of your nation who also are seeking the aid of the Indian in taking to the warpath. Always there are those who do not love peace. Let Andrew look to his safety." Then the Indian, like a shadow disappeared. For a long time Ann wondered if she had heard aright, of if the Indian had been there at all.

The year was 1753 and she had believed there was peace in the land. In a year there would be the building of a Fort near what was to be home. The hostesses were Mrs. Howard J. Spalding, Miss Anna Dutcher, Mrs. Richard Harner, and Mrs. George Hornberger.

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(To be continued in next Friday's Littlestown Supplement.)

#### NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Edwin Elder has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice C. Wareham. Mrs. Wareham returned with her daughter where she is spending a week at the home of her son-in-law, Major Edwin Elder.

Mrs. Alice Showalter spent several days this week with friends and relatives in Baltimore.

Charles Ross Appier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin U. Appier, and a student at York Junior college, has been placed on the Dean's Honor List for the third period of the school year. Dr. Paul Z. Rummel, dean of the college, has announced that all A and B marks are required of a student before he is placed on the honor list.

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#### Overseer Of Poor

With his long beard and his harsh voice Andrew seemed like some patriarch of ancient times reading the word of God, she felt, as she watched him silhouetted against the fire and heard the words of the gospel. Sometimes she thought of her father, who too had read the Bible in the evenings in Philadelphia.

Thus they spent their lives.

One evening a stranger had ridden into the farmyard. "It is this the house of Andrew Schreiber?" Andy had come up from the lower field when he saw the stranger approaching.

"As you know, York county has been formed from Lancaster county." His tone sounded more like a question than a statement of fact. "Your land is in Heidelberg township.

"You have been appointed overseer of the poor for the township. Peter Schultz is the other overseer. Here are your papers." The man smiled. Andrew was overjoyed at the honor paid him. But then he became grave. It was a great responsibility.

Andrew was in York in connection with his post as overseer when the Indian came to the door. The Indians were frequent visitors, ever since the day when the Schreibers had first arrived at their new home. In spring and fall they traveled north and south and always they stopped with the Schreibers. Then there would be talk and the smoking of the peace pipe.

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